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Preface from the Court Administrator

To: The Honorable Chief Justice and the Honorable Justices of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania
and to the citizens of the Commonwealth

I am pleased to present the Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts' Annual Report for calendar year 1990. This brief overview of activities of the Administrative Office and various boards and committees of the Court examines projects undertaken in the past year, as well as topics to be addressed as the courts move forward into 1991.

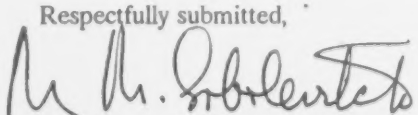
The courts' numbers expanded significantly in 1990 as the Governor signed legislation creating twenty-four additional judgeships in Common Pleas courts throughout seventeen counties across the state to be filled in the November 1991 elections. Judges newly elected to the seats will largely take office in January 1992.

As judges worked to minimize the effects of increasing caseloads, the Supreme Court's committees and advisory boards worked also toward a more efficient, effective judicial system, providing not only the courts, but the entire legal community with valuable counsel on the diverse areas specified by each group's legal authorization. The Civil Procedural Rules Committee, for example, initiated significant revisions in the state's post-trial practice with its Recommendation 91, and the Committee for Proposed Standard Jury Instructions continued research for its upcoming sixth supplement to the Criminal Jury Instructions, a reference tool which has proved valuable for many since its initial publication in 1979.

Another undertaking of the Pennsylvania courts became a reality in May 1989, when IBM and the AOPC signed a contract marking the official beginning of the District Justice Phase of the Judicial Computer Project. After extensive development and rigorous testing, the district justice system will soon be installed in several pilot-site offices across the state and full implementation will occur thereafter. Implementation of this first phase of a plan to fully automate the state court system will continue throughout 1992, eventually culminating in an automated system which will allow all levels of the judiciary to communicate via one integrated network, bringing with it the benefits of increased efficiency, productivity and accuracy.

Though the courts may look back with pride on the progress made in 1990, it is even more important that we look ahead to the coming year, and resolve to strive for further accomplishments for both the judiciary and the citizens of the Commonwealth.

Respectfully submitted,



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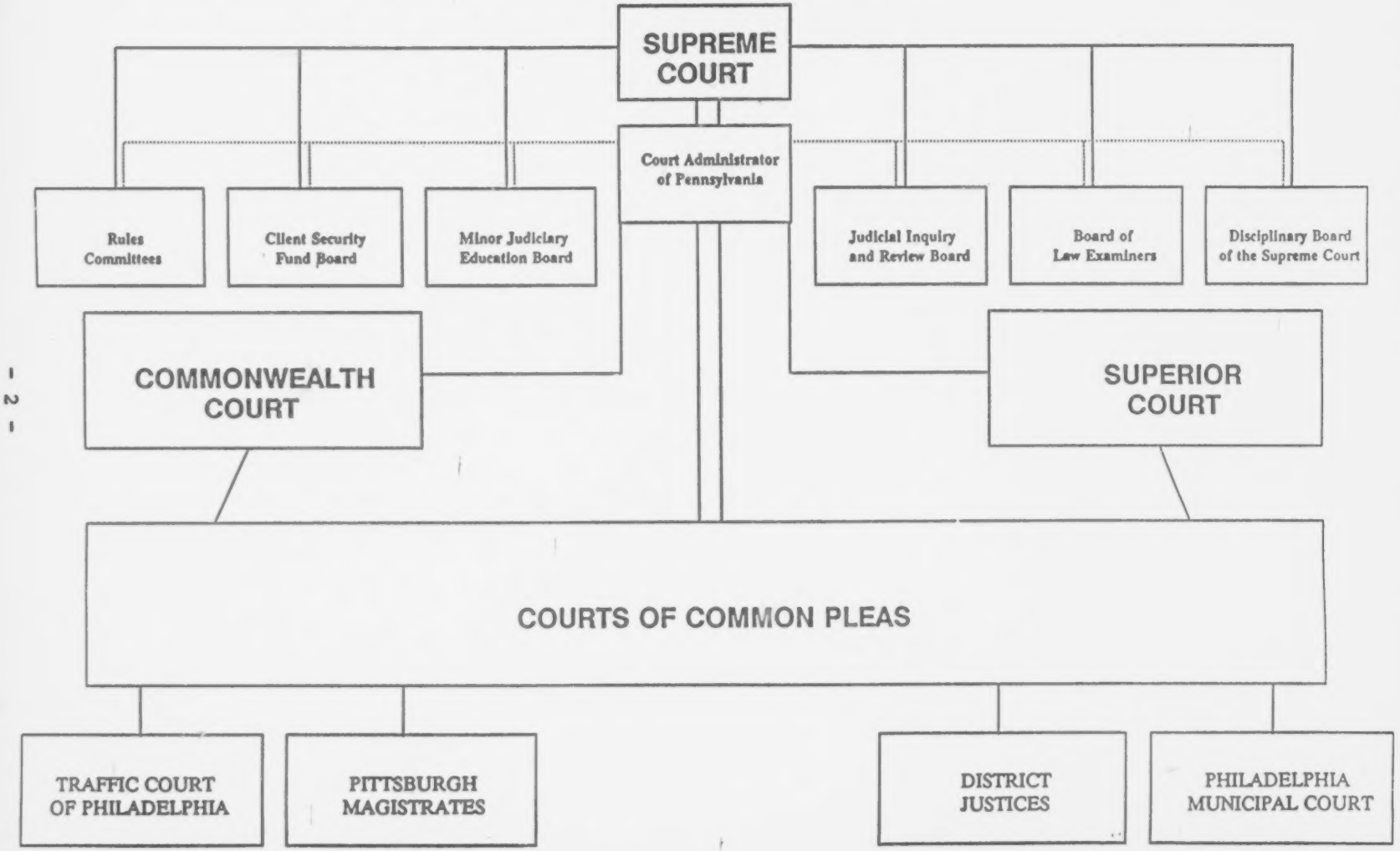
PENNSYLVANIA'S UNIFIED JUDICIAL SYSTEM



OVERVIEW OF THE PENNSYLVANIA JUDICIAL SYSTEM

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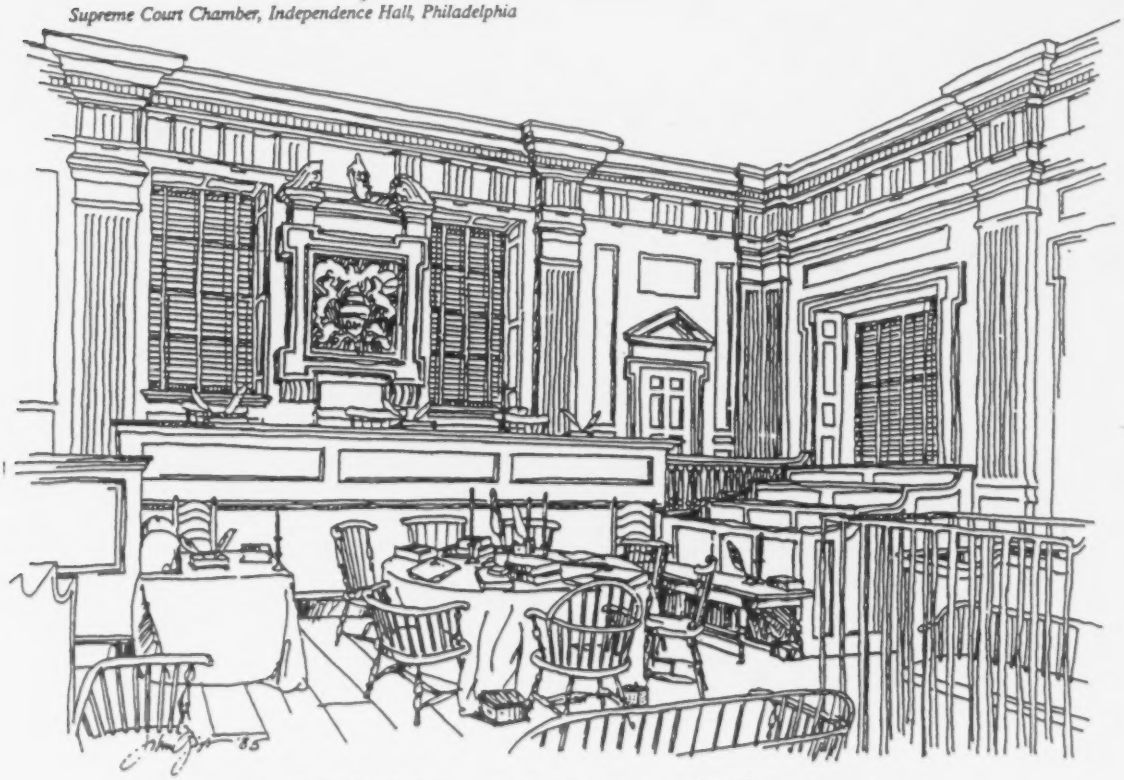


A Brief History of the Courts of Pennsylvania

Prior to the State Constitution of 1776, Pennsylvania's judiciary consisted of a disparate collection of courts, some inherited from the rule of the Duke of York (1664 to 1673), some established by William Penn, and some -- such as the Pennsylvania Supreme Court – created by the state's Provincial Assembly. Begun in 1684 as the Provincial Court, the Supreme Court was so named by the Judiciary Act of 1722. Around 1744 the Court established chambers in Philadelphia's Independence Hall, pictured above, until 1818, when local courts sat in residence.

Sporadic attempts to create a unified system which would define and organize the powers and jurisdiction of the several courts were often nullified in England. Not until the Pennsylvania Constitution of 1776, which established courts of sessions, courts of common pleas and orphans' courts in each county, did Pennsylvania see the beginning of a statewide framework for the development of its judicial system.

This development was furthered by the Constitution of 1790, which grouped counties into judicial districts and placed president judges at the head of the districts' Common Pleas courts to ease the Supreme Court's rapidly increasing workload. While the Constitutions of 1838 and 1874 effected changes in the jurisdiction, tenure and election or appointment of members of the judiciary, the basic structure created by the

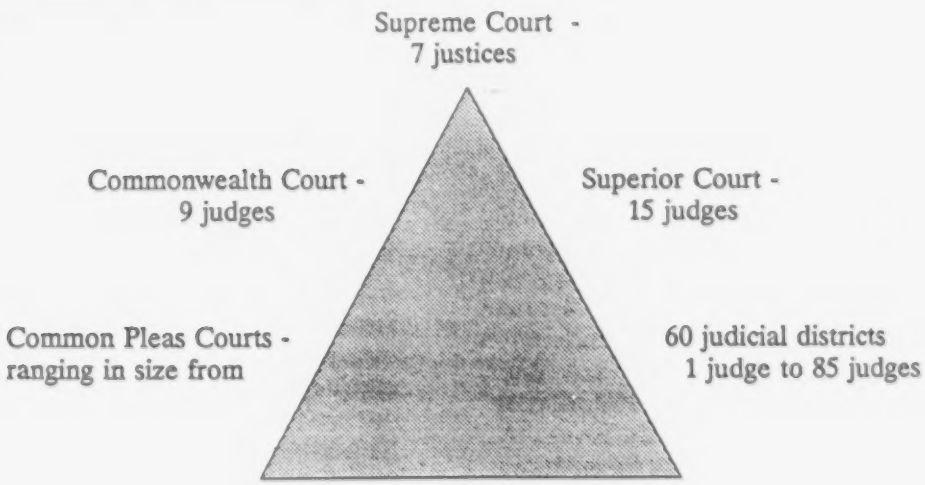
Constitution of 1790 remained essentially unchanged. The Constitution of 1968, however, initiated many changes in the state's judiciary, reorganizing it into a Unified Judicial System consisting of the Supreme, Superior and Commonwealth Courts, Courts of Common Pleas, Philadelphia Municipal Court, Pittsburgh Magistrates Court, Philadelphia Traffic Court, Justices of the Peace (popularly known as District Justices) and "such other courts as may be provided by law."

From both judicial and administrative perspectives, the Supreme Court is by Constitutional definition Pennsylvania's highest court. In matters of law, it is the Commonwealth's court of last resort. In matters of administration, the Supreme Court is responsible for maintaining a single, integrated judicial system, and thus has supervisory authority over all other courts across the state.

In 1981, with the support of the Legislature and approval of the electorate, the mandated jurisdiction of the Supreme Court was decreased through an expansion of the Superior Court's jurisdiction. Consequently, the Pennsylvania Supreme Court, like the United States Supreme Court, can now exercise discretion in accepting or rejecting most appeals, allowing it to devote greater attention to cases of far-reaching impact, as well as to its constitutional obligation to administer the entire judicial system.

The Structure of Pennsylvania's Unified Judicial System

The Pennsylvania Judiciary is organized in a hierarchial structure which may be visualized in the form of a pyramid:



Special Courts - 538 District Justices statewide
22 Philadelphia Municipal Court Judges
6 Philadelphia Traffic Court Judges
6 Pittsburgh Magistrates

Special Courts

Special courts form the "grass roots" level of Pennsylvania's court system. District justices -- formerly known as justices of the peace -- preside over these courts in all counties except Philadelphia. With jurisdiction over summary criminal cases, landlord-tenant matters and other civil actions where the amount claimed does not exceed $4,000, district justices may also accept guilty pleas to misdemeanors of the third degree under certain circumstances, issue warrants, and hold arraignments and preliminary hearings in criminal cases.

Although district justices need not be lawyers, they must complete an educational course and pass a qualifying examination before taking office, as well as participate in one week of continuing education each year. These education programs are administered by the Minor Judiciary Education Board.

The special courts in Philadelphia are the Municipal Court and the Traffic Court. Municipal Court is Pennsylvania's only special court which is a court of record. Its twenty-two judges, who must be lawyers, have jurisdiction over all criminal offenses -- other than summary traffic offenses -- which are punishable by a term of imprisonment not exceeding five years. Otherwise, the Municipal Court has the same jurisdiction as district justices with the exception of civil actions, where the amount claimed may not exceed $5,000. The president judge of Municipal Court is elected for a five-year term by other active Municipal Court judges.

The Philadelphia Traffic Court is composed of six judges who need not be lawyers. Traffic Court judges must, however, complete a certifying course and pass a qualifying examination, both of which are administered by the Minor Judiciary Education Board. The court's jurisdiction covers all summary offenses under the Motor Vehicle Code and related city ordinances. The president judge of Philadelphia's Traffic Court is appointed by the Governor.

The city of Pittsburgh has six police magistrates in addition to the district justices who serve throughout Allegheny County. These magistrates, who need not be lawyers, issue arrest warrants and preside at arraignments and preliminary hearings for criminal offenses occurring within the city. They also have jurisdiction over criminal cases brought by the city police for violations of city ordinances and other specified offenses. The police magistrates sit on the Pittsburgh Magistrates Court, which has the same jurisdiction as the Philadelphia Traffic Court.

The special courts hold no jury trials. Appeals from special court judgments may, however, be taken to Common Pleas Court where the case is heard de novo, or anew.

Common Pleas Courts

Common Pleas Courts are courts of general trial jurisdiction, having original jurisdiction over all cases not exclusively assigned to another court. Each of sixty judicial districts in the state houses one Common Pleas Court, with a total of three hundred and forty-two authorized Common Pleas judges. The districts generally coincide geographically with the counties, although seven of the districts are comprised of two counties.

In courts with seven or fewer judges, those that have the longest continuous record of service are the president judges. When courts have eight

or more judges, the judges select from their ranks a president judge who serves in that capacity for a single five-year term. President judges of such courts may not serve consecutive five-year terms.

Appellate Court System

Pennsylvania's appellate courts are part of a two-tiered appellate system. The first level consists of the intermediate appellate courts: the Superior Court with fifteen judges and the Commonwealth Court with nine. At the second level is the Supreme Court, which with seven justices is Pennsylvania's court of last resort. As the oldest appellate court in the nation, Pennsylvania's Supreme Court predates the United States Supreme Court by sixty-seven years.

In general, appeals from the Common Pleas courts are taken to one of the two intermediate appellate courts -- Commonwealth Court or Superior Court.

Original jurisdiction of the **Commonwealth Court** includes most civil actions against the Commonwealth, civil actions by the Commonwealth, and matters involving the Election Code. The Court's *appellate* jurisdiction encompasses appeals relating to decisions of administrative agencies, and civil or criminal appeals for Common Pleas Courts in which the Commonwealth or administrative agencies are involved. Other areas in the court's appellate jurisdiction include interpretation of home rule charters, local ordinances or legislative acts governing local governments; appeals from local administrative agencies, and certain matters relating to non-profit corporations and eminent domain proceedings.

Superior Court has limited *original* jurisdiction and *appellate* jurisdiction in cases not within the specific statutory jurisdiction of another appellate court.

The **Supreme Court's** non-exclusive *original* jurisdiction includes cases of habeas corpus, mandamus or prohibition to courts of inferior jurisdiction, and cases of quo warranto as to any officer of statewide jurisdiction.

The Supreme Court's *appellate* jurisdiction, exercised at the Court's discretion as previously noted, encompasses various types of cases heard as a matter of right, including appeals of cases originating in Commonwealth Court and review of death sentences.

The Supreme Court also has *exclusive* jurisdiction of appeals from the Legislative Reapportionment Commission, the Judicial Inquiry and Review Board, the Minor Judiciary Education Board, the Pennsylvania Board of Law Examiners, and the Disciplinary (Attorneys) Board of the Supreme Court.

Finally, the Court has *extraordinary* jurisdiction to assume jurisdiction of any case pending before a lower court involving an issue of immediate public importance.

Judicial Qualifications, Election, Tenure, Vacancies

In addition to certain basic requirements such as citizenship and residency, judges are subject to strict standards of conduct and may be removed, suspended or otherwise disciplined for misconduct in office. (Please refer to the report of the Judicial Inquiry and Review Board).

All Supreme Court justices and judges within the system are elected to ten-year terms, with the exception of judges of Philadelphia's Municipal and Traffic Courts and district justices, who are elected to terms of six years, and judges of Pittsburgh Magistrates Court, whom the mayor appoints to four-year terms. Vacancies may be filled by gubernatorial appointment, subject to Senate confirmation, until such time as the vacancy is filled by election.

The "merit retention" provision of Pennsylvania's Constitution allows justices and judges to run for reelection on a "yes-no" vote, without ballot reference to political affiliation. This provision was designed to remove judges from the pressures of the political arena once they begin their first term of office.

Although mandatory retirement age for judges is seventy years, retired judges may continue to serve -- with the approval of the Supreme Court -- as senior judges to help ease court backlogs.

As is true of president judges of all courts of seven or fewer judges, the Chief Justice of Pennsylvania attains that office by virtue of having the longest continuous service among the seven Supreme Court Justices.

Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts

Established in January 1969 following the Constitutional Convention of 1967-68, the Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts (AOPC) is responsible for the "prompt and proper disposition of the business of the courts," as defined by Pennsylvania's Supreme Court in the Pennsylvania Rules of Judicial Administration. Rules 501 through 507 outline the Court Administrator's powers, tasks and responsibilities in exercising the Supreme Court's Constitutionally-provided authority for supervision and administration of all courts, including the minor judiciary.

The Administrative Office performs its various functions from offices in both Philadelphia and Harrisburg. The four operational units located in Philadelphia include Court Management, Research, Legal and Judicial Services. The office of the Court Administrator of Pennsylvania is also in Philadelphia.

The remaining four operational units are found in Mechanicsburg, just outside Harrisburg. These are Administration (Budget/Accounting, Payroll, Benefits), the Judicial Computer Project, Data Processing and Communications/ Legislative Affairs.

As part of its supervisory, administrative and long-range planning duties, the AOPC endeavors to:

- review practices, procedures and efficiency of the System;
- develop recommendations for the Supreme Court regarding improvement of the System;

- represent the Judicial System before legislative bodies;
- examine administrative and business methods;
- collect statistical data;
- publish an annual report;
- examine the state of the dockets and make recommendations for the expedition of litigation;
- manage fiscal affairs (including budget preparation, approval of disbursements and procurement of goods and services);
- supervise all administrative matters relating to offices engaged in clerical functions;
- maintain personnel records;
- conduct education programs for System personnel;
- receive and respond to comments from the public;
- provide legal services to System personnel.

Office of Court Management

The Court Management Office is the primary administrative link between the AOPC and the various court constituencies at all levels of the Unified Judicial System. As such, Court Management provides supervisory, liaison, analytical and consultative services to the Special and Trial Court systems, including the Minor Judiciary Education Board, and to Prothonotaries and Clerks of Courts across the state.

For the Minor Judiciary Education Board, Court Management provides complete administrative and professional (teaching) staff to conduct certification and continuing education courses for district justices and Philadelphia Bail Commissioners, as well as certification courses for Philadelphia Traffic Court judges and for Pittsburgh magistrates who are not attorneys.

Additionally, Court Management maintains certified copies of all local court rules adopted by counties and agencies of the Unified Judicial System, develops administrative initiatives with administrators of the Appellate Courts and serves as the AOPC's liaison with the National Center for State Courts' Northeast Regional Office.

Another of the office's responsibilities is to monitor judicial regional assignment districts, essentially groupings of judicial districts, which exist in some parts of the state and provide visiting judges to assist with court backlogs and cases involving recusals. The office also interacts with the Domestic Relations Association of Pennsylvania and the Pennsylvania Department of Welfare, and develops working relationships with the many different components of the statewide court system.

Every ten years the Department of Court Management coordinates efforts to reestablish and/or realign the district boundaries of district justices. Conceptually somewhat akin to the process of redistricting legislative and Congressional districts, district justice realignment and reestablishment is based on data obtained from the decennial Federal census and guidelines established by the Supreme Court and the Administrative Office.

Ultimate decisions regarding reestablishment and/or realignment of districts are the exclusive authority of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

Department of Research

The Administrative Office's Research Department analyzes and evaluates the operations of the Unified Judicial System's various components by

examining both policies and statistics. During any given year, the Department of Research conducts a variety of studies, ranging from case flow management reviews of individual trial courts to statewide surveys of county court expenditures and revenues.

An especially noteworthy study conducted in 1990 was a systematic comparison of the 92 offices of the Clerks of Courts and Prothonotaries, the civil and criminal record-keeping offices of Pennsylvania's county courts. The first of its kind, the study examined the history, functions, organization, and personnel structure of these offices, describing and measuring the ways in which they differ as well as their many points of similarity. In addition to providing a better appreciation for their contributions to the judicial branch, —the study laid the initial groundwork in the development of plans to automate these important offices of judicial support.

The Research Department also collects data from district justice and trial courts on the number and type of new, disposed and pending cases, and, for certain categories of cases, on the age of cases pending adjudication. The information is then reviewed, automated, and periodically verified through audits of the county dockets.

The Administrative Office uses this information for many purposes, including the monitoring of county court operations consistent with its mandate under the Rules of Judicial Administration.

Within the Research Department, the Docket Transcript Section receives, reviews, and corrects data on all misdemeanor, felony, and escalating summary cases filed in the sixty judicial districts. The information is submitted both on paper forms and computer tapes. Extracts of the data are sent to the Pennsylvania State Police where individual criminal histories ("rap sheets") are compiled. The data base is also used for statistical research by the Administrative Office and other state agencies.

Another area of responsibility for the Research Department is the design of the many forms used in the state court system. The development of new forms and the modification of existing forms requires extensive consultation with system personnel, especially those using the forms on a daily basis.

Office of the Chief Counsel

The Office of the Chief Counsel provides advice and counsel to the Court Administrator and to the other units of the Administrative Office while also engaging in a variety of administrative duties.

Specifically, the Chief Counsel's staff represents Unified Judicial System personnel -- including those of the various courts of the Commonwealth, the Disciplinary Board, the Judicial Inquiry and Review Board, and the Pennsylvania Board of Law Examiners -- in litigation. Actions involving Unified Judicial System personnel often include suits filed in the federal district courts which raise various civil rights and constitutional issues. Typical state court proceedings involving personnel pertain to requests for accelerated disposition of private suits, petitions for review of governmental actions and petitions to determine the rights and duties of public officials.

Other significant activities involving Counsel staff are:

- active participation in planning and

implementation of the Judicial Computer Project;
- reviewing leases for appellate court offices and chambers, and for offices of committees, boards and agencies of the Unified Judicial System;
- responding to a wide variety of queries, both internal and external.

In June 1990, the AOPC's Chief Legal Counsel of nine years, Charles W. Johns, left his position to join Philadelphia's Third Circuit Court as its Deputy Circuit Executive. Zygmont A. Pines, Superior Court's Assistant Chief Staff Attorney, was named Chief Counsel in January of 1991. At the same time, David Donaldson was named Chief of Litigation. Additionally, Taylor Williams and Kenneth Wilson joined the legal staff in 1990.

Office of Communications/ Legislative Affairs

The Office of Communications and Legislative Affairs represents the Administrative Office to the Executive and Legislative branches of state government and to the media in matters of budget and administration from the Administrative Office in Harrisburg. The Communications Office monitors the progress of legislation in the General Assembly and, when appropriate, comments on the effect legislation may have on the fiscal and administrative operations of the Judicial System. Communications also serves as a central point to which inquiries about the Judiciary may be directed and from which information about the system may be disseminated.

Gov. Robert P. Casey signed several pieces of legislation in 1990 which have a direct impact on the state courts. Act 59 established an additional base of funding for the Judicial Computer Project (Act 64 of 1987 was the initial funding mechanism) by authorizing users' fees to be levied on those participating in the state's judicial process. The Act places a $5 assessment on criminal convictions and guilty pleas in trial courts and on the initiation of civil actions or other legal proceedings in the trial and appellate courts. A $1.50 assessment is placed on criminal convictions, guilty pleas, and civil action filings in the Minor Judiciary.

Also signed into law in 1990 was Act 159, which created 24 additional Common Pleas judgeships in 17 counties across the state. The additional judges will help alleviate the numerous problems associated with steadily mounting caseloads.

Office of Data Processing

The Administrative Office's Data Processing staff fulfills vital roles both in day-to-day operations of the judicial system and in development of long-term projects to fully automate the various components and levels of the Unified Judicial System.

Day-to-day operations support the AOPC's Office of Administration in payroll processing, accounting, budgeting, and personnel systems, while at the same time supporting the data processing needs of the Research Office and other units of the AOPC. The Office of Data Processing also works in cooperation with the Supreme Court's Statewide Steering Committee on Court Automation toward establishment of the statewide judicial computer system, also known as the Judicial Computer Project (JCP).

Office of Administration

The Office of Administration, with staff in both Harrisburg and Philadelphia, is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the AOPC, providing support and services to other units of the Administrative Office. Such services include the purchasing of furniture, equipment, goods and supplies for the AOPC; expense accounting; processing reimbursements and other expenditures; benefits counseling and administration; payroll administration for approximately 1600 employees; personnel management and preparation of an annual budget for those portions of the judiciary which are state-funded.

Judicial Services Office

The Judicial Services Office is responsible for planning, coordinating, administering and providing staff support for an extensive schedule of educational conferences, seminars and meetings of the Supreme Court, the Administrative Office and affiliated groups.

In 1990, Judicial Services coordinated five major conferences, including the annual Judges' Conference, the Mid-Annual Conference, the President Judges' Conference, the District Court Administrators' Conference and the Annual Conference.

Through aggressive negotiation and detailed knowledge of Pennsylvania's hospitality industry, the Office is able to ensure that multi-day conferences proceed effectively under terms which are favorable to the Commonwealth.

Judicial Services also negotiates office space for judicial officers across the Commonwealth, subject to final legal review by the Chief Counsel's staff, and maintains a computerized data bank of contact information for the Unified Judicial System's affiliated groups.

The Judicial Computer Project

Prompted by a statement made by Pennsylvania Supreme Court Chief Justice Robert N. C. Nix Jr. in 1984 -- that the state courts had a responsibility to operate the judiciary "in an efficient manner with maximum utilization of modern, automated technology" -- the Judicial Computer Project has progressed from a written outline to an accepted reality.

The project began with the selection of a blue ribbon panel to examine the state courts' current level of automation. Consisting of four computer experts from the financial and insurance fields, the panel discovered that each separate unit of the judiciary was using different solutions to correct common problems. It recommended the creation of a special committee to identify those problems and seek uniform solutions that would be applicable statewide.

State Supreme Court Justice Stephen A. Zappala was selected to chair the panel -- the Statewide Steering Committee on Court Automation -- which included members from all three branches of state government and representatives of the private sector. The Committee determined that, to meet the judiciary's growing needs, a computerized system must:

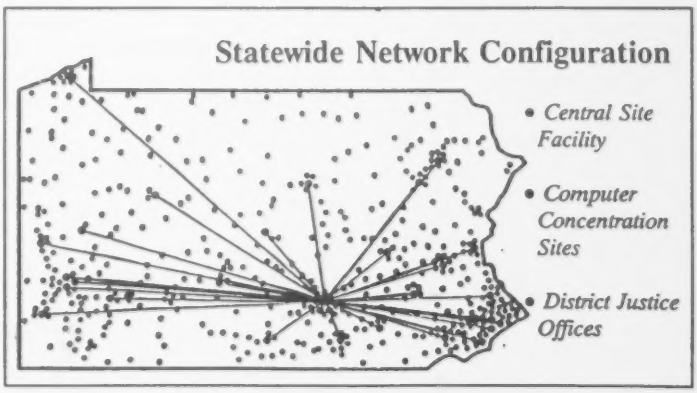
- facilitate fiscal management and budgetary control
- expedite criminal and civil case tracking at all judicial levels
- connect the judiciary via an integrated statewide network that could interface with other agencies of the state and federal justice systems
- support office automation to enhance productivity of judicial personnel
- permit remote access to public records, while protecting the integrity of stored information.

Upon completion of a master plan for state court automation, the Steering Committee concluded that linking all district justice offices with the AOPC should be the first step in computerizing Pennsylvania's courts, with three major factors contributing to their decision.

First, the General Assembly's original funding mechanism for the project, Act 64 of 1987, required increased revenues through more efficient collection of delinquent fines, fees and costs, the greatest amount of which are collected at the district justice level. Second, legislative members seemed to believe the project must first be proven to work at the grass roots level, where it was perceived that potential system users not familiar with computers might be reluctant to work with an automated system. Finally, an initial link between district justice offices and the Administrative Office would establish a central data base, enabling the AOPC to collect and analyze data to quickly and accurately identify areas of the judiciary needing management assistance.

After establishing the initial framework, Justice Zappala and the Steering Committee formed a seven-member Implementation Team, composed of district justices from across the state, to work with Administrative Office staff in the issuance of a Request for Proposal (RFP). After reviewing the six responses, the Implementation Team recommended IBM's $24.5 million bid for a 39-month contract. An agreement was signed between officials from IBM and the AOPC May 5, 1989, and the Judicial Computer Project was officially under way.

From that date, personnel from IBM and its various subcontractors worked with JCP staff to customize existing software for use by district justices. The software runs on a distributed network which has at its center an IBM AS/400-60 computer. Located at the Central Site, this is the system's "nerve center," with 31 AS/400-35 refrigerator-sized computers branching off across the state. These 31 unstaffed, lights out Computer Concentration Sites each connect with numerous district justice offices, with each site capable of processing approximately 75,000 cases per year.



As programmers worked to refine software, staff began the lengthy process of establishing effective training methods and testing the new system.

Several district justice employees met at the Central Site in September 1990 to participate in "beta" or hands-on testing, working with trainers and learning to use the system by processing sample cases. After JCP staff concluded through beta tests that the system was user-friendly, they conducted system tests to judge how well the program carries out the function it was meant to perform.

Staff from several district justice offices then visited an IBM Usability Lab in Atlanta, where they learned more about the new system and put that knowledge to use. This test was especially informative because participants' actions were videotaped and logged to identify reaction to the system's operations.

Even more detailed feedback will be possible when the system is installed in several pilot sites across the state -- a process that began in late 1990 and continues through the beginning months of 1991.

During pilot site installation, JCP staff trained jointly by IBM and the AOPC visit each office for one week to instruct district justice employees on system use. At week's end, trainers leave behind two videotapes detailing the system's operations, as well as a manual to assist with routine questions. For those problems which are more complex and require additional input, the AOPC maintains a Help Desk, staffed from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., to answer any questions.

The project is proceeding as scheduled, and installation of the remaining pilot sites will be followed by the training of approximately eight district justice offices per week. This schedule places final completion of the district justice phase near the end of 1992.

Initial plans for implementation of the Common Pleas phase of the Judicial Computer Project are also under way, and will continue with the progression of the district justice installation.

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The principal function of the Advisory Committee is to make recommendations to the Supreme Court for the updating of the Rules of Appellate Procedure in the light of experience, developing case law, and new legislation.

Committee members and staff counsel also respond to many informal inquiries from lawyers, trial judges and trial court officials.

Questions and suggestions with a potentially greater impact are studied by the Committee as a whole and frequently result in recommendations for changes in the rules.

The Committee's principal activity this year involved consideration and drafting of minor changes to Recommendation 25, which was submitted to the Supreme Court.

The most important changes reflected in this Recommendation involved Rule 311 and Rule 341, and were developed to alleviate the problems resulting from the question of which orders are appealable. Judges of both the Superior Court and the Commonwealth Court, in addition to many appellate practitioners, have suggested that Rule 341 should be amended to clarify this situation and the committee believes that its proposal would accomplish that important objective. However, the Supreme Court has not yet approved this recommendation.

The Supreme Court has adopted Recommendation No. 27, under which Pa. R.A.P. 122(b) was revised to provide that, in addition to showing the complete address and zip code of every person served, and of the lawyer filing the notice, the proof of service of a notice of appeal shall include: (1) the telephone number of each person served and (2) the telephone number and attorney registration number of the lawyer signing the notice of appeal and proof of service.

The Committee has approved Recommendation No. 28, which suggests certain changes in Pa. R.A.P. 311, 906, 1112, 1513, 1701, 2315, and 2542. This Recommendation will be submitted to the Supreme Court as soon as the Court has acted on Recommendation No. 25.

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Legal Authorization:

PA Constitution Article V, § 10(c) and
PA B.A.R. 104 (c) (3)

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The Pennsylvania Board of Law Examiners consists of seven members of the bar of this Commonwealth, who serve regular terms of five years each. Primarily, the Board is empowered to "recommend the admission of persons to the bar and the practice of law." PA B.A.R. 104(c)(3). In so doing, the Board reviews applications for admission from attorneys licensed in reciprocal states, administers bar examinations twice each year to recent law school graduates and persons admitted to the practice of law in foreign nations, and holds formal hearings during which the character and general qualifications of those seeking admission are determined.

The office of the Board is located in the Public Ledger Building in Philadelphia. The Board Office staff consists of the Executive Director, Office Manager and six Administrative Clerks. There are eight Examiners and one Chief Supervising Examiner.

During the 1990 calendar year, the Board processed approximately 4,170 applications for admission to practice law in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Application revenues for 1990 totaled $729,750.

The application fee for admission to the bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, pursuant to Pa. B.A.R. 203, remains at $175 for a first-time filing; $100 late fee; $100 re-examination fee; and $500 for admission on motion. In 1990, the Board re-instituted a $30 fee to transfer multi-state bar exam (MBE) scores to other jurisdictions.

Given in February and July of each year, bar examinations are two days in length, the first day being the essay examination and the second day being the multi-state bar examination (MBE). Summary statistics for bar examinations for 1990 are as follows:

Bar Exam	No. Sitting	No. Passing	Percent Passing
Feb. 1990	991	662	67%
July 1990	2,794	2,244	80%

During 1990, the Board met nine times to determine the character and qualifications of applicants, review proposed essay questions and analyses, approve examination results, review the existing Bar Admission Rules and set policy. Additionally, hearings were held throughout the year to determine the character of applicants.

Civil Procedural Rules Committee

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The Civil Procedural Rules Committee was first appointed in 1937 by the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania under the Act of June 21, 1937, P.L. 1982, No. 392, 12 P.S. § 61 et seq. (repealed), which authorized the Supreme Court to promulgate rules of procedure governing civil actions at law and in equity for the courts of common pleas and provided for the establishment of "a Procedural Rules Committee...to assist the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania in preparation, revision, promulgation, publication and administration" of the rules. This rule-making power was subsequently incorporated into Article V, Section 10(c) of the Constitution of 1968, and the Act of 1937 was supplanted by Section 1722 of the Judicial Code, 42 Pa.C.S. SS 1722. In enacting section 14 of the Judiciary Act, No. 142 of 1976, the General Assembly specifically recognized the Committee by providing that the "enactment of this act shall not affect the existence or membership" of the Committee.

The work of the Committee includes the entire spectrum of civil matters, except those relating to the work of the Orphans' Court and Family Court Divisions. Rules relating to the family law actions of protection from abuse, support, custody and divorce are part of the rules of civil procedure which were formerly within the scope of the Committee's work. However, in 1987 the Court appointed a Domestic Relations Committee, whose work consists of the preparation and revision of rules governing the family law actions.

The Committee is composed of seventeen lawyers and judges appointed by the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania. The members are appointed for a term of three years and may serve a maximum of three full terms.

The Civil Procedural Rules Committee held five meetings in 1990: three in Philadelphia and two in Pittsburgh.

During 1990 the committee considered a variety of recommendations, which are summarized in the following chart with a brief description thereafter.

The Judicial Code and the Judiciary Act Repealer Act (JARA) have provided the Committee with the basis for much of its work since 1978 and continue to do so. In addition, the Committee's 1990 agenda included such topics as motion practice, post-trial practice, depositions and discovery, juries and jurors, trial practice and appeals from local administrative agencies.

The Committee continued to furnish assistance to the Supreme Court and to act as a clearinghouse for numerous amendments suggested by members of the bench and bar. The Chairman and Executive Director answered countless inquiries regarding the Rules of Civil Procedure from local courts and attorneys and from courts and attorneys in sister states. The staff of the Committee participated in numerous programs of the Pennsylvania Bar Association and various local bar associations and spoke to other groups interested in the Rules of Civil Procedure.

Status of Recommendations
1990

Recommendation Number	Subject	Status
78	Custody and termination paternal rights	Pending in the Supreme Court
84	Consolidation and revision of venue rules	Pending in the Committee
87	Amendment of Rules 218, 1025 and 2970	Promulgated April 4, 1990
88	Rescission of Rules 202 through 204 governing attorneys' conduct	Promulgated April 4, 1990
89	Revising the practice governing joinder of additional defendants in class actions	Promulgated April 4, 1990
90	Consolidation and Coordination of Actions - Rules 213 and 213.1	Promulgated April 4, 1990
91	Revision of Post-Trial Practice Rule 227.1	Pending in the Supreme Court
92	Rules governing asbestos litigation	Promulgated April 4, 1990
93	Revision of Chapter 400 governing service of original process and other legal papers	Pending in the Supreme Court
94	Amending the title of Rule 1602 governing declaratory judgements	Promulgated April 4, 1990
95	Amending Rule 129 governing rules of construction	Promulgated September 26, 1990
96	Amending Rule 1506 governing stockholder's derivative actions	Promulgated September 26, 1990
97	Amending Rules 1017 and 1028 governing preliminary objections	Pending in the Committee
98	Adding new Rule 220.1 governing voir dire	Pending in the Supreme Court
99	Amending Rule 1307 governing compulsory arbitration	Pending in the Committee

Status of Recommendations
1990 (Continued)

Recommendation Number	Subject	Status
100	Making technical amendments arising from the Judicial Code and JARA	Pending in the Committee
101	Adding a chapter governing legal papers	Pending in the Committee
102	Revising the rules governing petition practice	Pending in the Committee
103	Requesting comment on the status of confession of judgement in Pennsylvania	Pending in the Committee

Recommendation No. 84 proposing to consolidate into new Chapter 500 all rules relating to venue. The new chapter would eliminate repetitive rules and make uniform the venue provisions for all types of parties, including the Commonwealth and political subdivisions.

Recommendation No. 87 proposing miscellaneous amendments to the rules governing business of the courts, pleadings and confession of judgment in ejectment.

Recommendation No. 88 proposing to rescind Rules 202, 203 and 204 relating to attorneys' conduct.

Recommendation No. 89 proposing to add new Rule 1706.1 governing the joinder of additional defendants to the class actions rules and making revisions to Rule 2252(a) governing the grounds for joining an additional defendant.

Recommendation No. 90 amending Rule 213 governing consolidation of actions within a county and proposing new Rule 213.1 governing coordination of actions within the Commonwealth.

Recommendation No. 91 proposing a significant revision of post-trial practice. The present practice of filing a motion for post-trial relief would be abolished. Under the proposed new practice, the trial judge within ten days after the verdict or decision would (1) enter judgment, (2) grant post-trial relief sua sponte or (3) order post-trial argument on specified issues.

Recommendation No. 92 implementing the Report of the Asbestos Committee of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania by proposing special rules governing asbestos litigation.

Recommendation No. 93 proposing to revise the rules governing service of original process and other legal papers by extending to all actions service by a competent adult who is not a party and by mail.

Recommendation No. 94 revising the title of Rule 1602 governing declaratory

judgments.

Recommendation No. 95 amending Rule 129 governing construction of rules.

Recommendation No. 96 amending Rule 1506 governing stockholder's derivative actions.

Recommendation No. 97 proposing to revise Rules 1017 and 1028 governing preliminary objections.

Recommendation No. 99 proposing to amend Rule 1307 governing compulsory arbitration.

Recommendation No. 100 proposing to amend miscellaneous rules between Rules 1 and 1500 in light of the enactment of the Judicial Code and Judiciary Act Repealer Act (JARA).

Recommendation No. 101 proposing to add a new chapter of rules (Rule 170 et seq.) governing legal papers.

Recommendation No. 102 proposing to revise the rules governing petition practice.

Recommendation No. 103 requesting comment from the bench and bar with respect to the status of confession in judgment of Pennsylvania.

Client

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PA Constitution Article V, § 10(c) and #1
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The Board administers the Pennsylvania Client Security Fund, which was established by Order of the Supreme Court dated April 30, 1982 to reimburse clients up to $25,000 for money and/or property which had been stolen from them by their attorneys. Each attorney licensed to practice law in Pennsylvania was assessed $50 to finance the program. The Supreme Court ordered that these limits be changed effective July 1, 1988. The $25,000 ceiling payment on individuals was raised to $50,000 and the annual attorney registration fee was lowered to $20.

In 1990, the Board acted on claims as follows:

Claims	No.	Amount
Awarded	112	$2,013,449
Rejected	76	1,527,890
Discontinued	12	93,100
Pending at Year End	59	4,720,695

The cumulative total of claims paid from mid-1982 through 1990 amounts to $6,658,214. This fund was used to pay 737 claimants. During the same period of time, 204 of the 431 lawyers accused of theft or conversions were exonerated of any wrongdoing.

For the first time since the inception of the Fund, administrative costs were not fully covered by the investment income and the reimbursements paid by some defalcating attorneys. This was due to the decrease in assessment revenues as well as the highest amount of awards being paid in the Fund's history. The Board also authorized the Fund's assets to be moved, effective July 1, 1990, to the Hamilton Bank in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania where a higher return on its monies could be secured and a more comprehensive investment strategy could be undertaken.

The financial records of the Pennsylvania Client Security Fund are audited at the end of the June 30 fiscal year by the auditing firm of KPMG Peat Marwick. The Board had $6,094,177 at the end of calendar year 1990.

In 1990, the Pennsylvania Client Security Fund Board continued with its efforts to bring the existence of the Fund to the attention of all possible claimants. The Fund retained the services of the public relations firm of Auchincloss & Auchincloss to implement a public relations campaign. In this regard, the Fund oversaw the development of a 30 second television commercial and a 60 second radio commercial which provided potential claimants with some insight into the types of matters the Fund handles as well as the Fund's 800 telephone number. The commercials ran from October 1, 1990 through December 30, 1990 and resulted in a marked increase in the use of the 800 telephone number and claim forms being mailed to potential claimants.

The contact person for the Fund is its Chairman, Walter F. Baczkowski, Esq. He can be reached at: Liddle and Adams, Suite 305, 502 Fifth Avenue, McKeesport, PA 15132; (412) 672-9644.

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Legal Authorization:

PA Constitution, Article V, Section 10(c)
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Criminal

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The Criminal Procedural Rules Committee advises the Supreme Court on the development of rules governing criminal practice and procedure throughout Pennsylvania. See PA. CONST. art. V, §10(c) and 42 Pa.C.S. §1722 (1982).

Part of the Committee's task is to closely monitor developments in criminal procedure -- in Pennsylvania and in other jurisdictions -- to highlight areas in which the Committee might work to revise, streamline, and simplify the Criminal Rules. Tracking procedural developments is handled in several ways. The Committee receives and evaluates a steady stream of correspondence from judges, lawyers, and court administrators, from the public, and from agencies within the criminal justice system. In addition, it reviews case law and legislation as soon as it appears, in order to determine whether changes in decisional or statutory law necessitate amendments to the Rules or other action by the Court. As in the past, the Committee has communicated regularly with the Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts and with the Court's other Committees on a number of procedural matters. Most recently, staff has been working with counsel to the Civil Rules Committee to attempt to reconcile the Committees' post-trial proposals currently before the Court.

The Committee also routinely publishes explanatory Reports on the proposals for new rules and rule amendments in the Pennsylvania Bulletin and in the Atlantic Reporter 2d (Pennsylvania Reporter Series), using this explanatory reporting process to draw reactions and recommendations on proposals from the public as part of its preparation for final submission of the proposals to the Court. Once a rule or rule package is adopted, these explanatory Reports become the public history of the rules and rule amendments -- useful sources of information on the Committee's intent in developing a given change. As an additional service, the Committee continues to publish a calendar of the effective dates of new Criminal Procedural Rules and rule amendments in a variety of journals and newsletters to provide easy access to Criminal Rule changes and their effective dates.

The Committee's Staff and Chairman also attend conferences and seminars to provide the bench and bar with current information on changes in Pennsylvania's criminal procedures, a process which frequently results in a highly useful dialogue with colleagues.

The full Committee met regularly in 1990, usually every ten weeks, and considered an extensive agenda at each meeting. In addition, there were several day-long bail and minor judiciary subcommittee meetings.

Although the Committee continues to survey the strengths and weaknesses -- in actual practice -- of the criminal procedural rules generally, its research and discussion in 1990 focused on several important areas, including bail, ARD procedures for summary cases, and voir dire.

The Committee's consideration of bail has been ongoing for some time, an extensive undertaking because most of the bail rules have not been reexamined since their adoption in the 1970's. After struggling as a full Committee with a myriad of issues, a Subcommittee was formed to review bail from pretrial

onward and to make recommendations to the Committee as a whole.

In addition to pursuing its work on bail issues, the Committee completed a set of recommendations providing for juror qualification and information questionnaires, and has published the proposal, accompanied by an explanatory Report, to solicit responses from judges and lawyers on the potential impact of the rule changes. It also published a proposal which provides the procedures for implementing and monitoring ARD in summary cases.

In 1990, the Court adopted two criminal procedural rule proposals. In the area of death penalty procedures, Rule 351 was amended and the Comments to Rules 352 and 359 were revised to address the applicability of Subchapter 350 to cases in which a jury is empaneled for the first time for sentencing, and to cases which have been remanded for re-sentencing pursuant to 42 Pa.C.S. §9711. In addition, a long standing motions procedure -- the motion in limine -- has been expressly recognized, and thereby encouraged through a revision to the Rule 306 Comment.

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Legal Authorization:

PA Constitution, Article V, Section 10(c) and
Rule 103 PA Rules of Disciplinary Enforcement
Rule 205(a) PA Rules of Disciplinary Enforcement
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Since its creation in November 1972, the Disciplinary Board has been dedicated to the interest of the Bar and the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania in maintaining a high standard of consistent service to Pennsylvania lawyers, their clients, and to the public in general.

The attorney population has increased dramatically since the Disciplinary Board was created by the Supreme Court in 1972. The number of registered attorneys for the 1972-1973 Fiscal Year was 13,057 as compared to 42,375 registered attorneys for the 1989-1990 Fiscal Year. The increase in the number of complaints filed with the Board has been attributed to the increase in the number of attorneys. During the year 1990, 3,799 complaints were filed representing an increase of 389 from the previous year. An average of 317 complaints were filed monthly. Three thousand, four hundred and seventy-nine (3,479) complaints were disposed of during the year. At the start of 1991, 1,679 active complaints were on hand.

The Disciplinary Board held 11 meetings during the year 3 of which were two-day meetings. The meetings combined executive and administrative business. At its executive sessions, the Board adjudicated 47 proceedings involving formal charges. Thirty-four (34) matters were disposed of by three-member panels of Board members who reviewed hearing committee members' recommendations for a Private Reprimand (Rule 208(a)(5) Pa.R.D.E.), and 16 respondents appeared before the Board to receive Private Reprimands. In addition to the regularly scheduled meetings, a three-member panel of Board members heard oral argument presented before them in 7 matters. Of the 47 major adjudications, 25 were referred to the Supreme Court, together with the Board's Report and Recommendation for public discipline. Twenty (20) Supreme Court Orders for Disbarment on Consent resulted from verified statements submitted by respondents. Nine (9) Supreme Court Orders reinstated previously disbarred or suspended attorneys (following hearing on petition for reinstatement). The Supreme Court denied 1 petition for reinstatement. In addition, 25 petitions for reinstatement to active status after being inactive for more then three years, with no discipline being involved, were granted by the Supreme Court. Thirty-six (36) matters are pending before the Supreme Court awaiting final action. By a recent Supreme Court Order, the Board was increased by three Board members to assist with the ever-increasing workload. A tabulation of the disciplinary actions taken since the beginning of the Board's operations in 1972 is set forth on the following page.

Rules Committee - The following are some of the recent amendments to the Pennsylvania Rules of Disciplinary Enforcement and the Disciplinary Board Rules and Procedures which are the result of the activity of the Disciplinary Board's Rules Committee.

1) The Board has recognized that alcohol and drug abuse can be a mitigating factor to be considered in determining or recommending discipline. Of significant importance is the procedure incorporated into the rules that Probation shall be ordered for a specified period of time or until further order of the Board or the Supreme Court, and may be imposed in conjunction with a suspension which may be stayed in whole or in part.

2) The Rules now permit for the automatic reinstatement of an attorney suspended for a period up to one year. Prior to this change, automatic reinstatement was limited to cases involving a suspension of not more than three months. The reinstatement process required when a respondent was suspended for more than three months would normally take up to a year or more to complete.

3) The Rules were amended to permit the Board to assign a special master instead of a hearing committee to conduct a formal proceeding when it appears that a proceeding may be protracted and should be tried continuously from day to day until concluded. A pool of 12 Special Masters has been established throughout the Commonwealth.

Education Committee - The Board has initiated methods of reaching out to attorneys in educational matters as opposed to its adjudicatory function. The seven law schools have been contacted to offer the Board's assistance in their professional responsibility programs by having the Board members participate and serve as guest speakers. Also, Assistant Disciplinary Counsel serve as liaison to the county bar associations in Pennsylvania, assisting in educational seminars.

Hearing Committees - There are presently 136 hearing committee members and special masters appointed by the Disciplinary Board who serve on a pro bono basis to conduct hearings into formal charges. In 1989 it was necessary to appoint 18 additional hearing committee members in order to keep abreast of the heavy volume of complaints in the Philadelphia area. The Board is considering the appointment of additional hearing committee members in the District II area (covering counties of Berks, Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Lancaster, Lehigh, Montgomery, Northampton, and Schuylkill), because of the recent trend of attorney population shift from Philadelphia to the outlying counties.

Calendar Years

	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	Cumulative Total
Disciplinary Cases:																			
1. Informal Admonition	37	55	95	81	96	102	121	98	113	156	137	125	123	101	110	106	123	98	1,877
2. Private Reprimand	0	7	8	9	7	14	5	5	4	6	9	21	19	27	17	25	31	26	240
3. Probation	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4
4. Public Censure	0	2	5	8	10	7	6	1	1	2	6	1	3	2	3	0	2	1	60
5. Suspension	3	12	12	8	10	13	17	8	17	12	7	7	16	5	10	17	17	18*	209
6. Disbarment	3	4	6	5	13	6	12	12	21	33	24	21	16	29	23	32	18	36	304
Total of Disciplinary Actions	43	80	126	111	138	143	161	124	156	209	183	175	177	164	163	180	191	170	2,694
Reinstatement Cases:																			
1. Petitions for Reinstatement Cases	1	2	2	3	3	4	2	6	42	21	22	25	21	17	24	34	27	34**	290
2. Petitions for Reinstatement Denied	1	2	2	0	0	3	1	5	4	0	0	2	0	2	1	1	0	1	25

* This figure does not include seven (7) temporary suspensions (Rule 214 Pa.R.D.E.) and one (1) emergency temporary suspension (Rule 208(f) Pa.R.D.E.)

** This figure includes twenty-five (25) reinstatements to active status after being inactive three or more years and having never been suspended or disbarred.

Domestic Relations Committee

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PA Constitution, Article V, Section 10(c)
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Article V, Section 10(c) of the Constitution of 1968 and Section 1722(a) (1) of the Judicial Code give the Supreme Court "the power to prescribe and modify general rules governing...practice, procedure and the conduct of all courts...." In furtherance of this mandate, the Supreme Court has promulgated Rules of Civil Procedure governing the family law actions of protection from abuse, support, custody and divorce or annulment of marriage.

Originally, the responsibility for recommending new rules and revisions to the rules governing the family law actions was with the Civil Procedural Rules Committee. Consequently, the rules governing these actions are part of the Pennsylvania Rules of Civil Procedure.

In 1984 the Supreme Court appointed a Domestic Relations Section of the Civil Procedural Rules Committee which was devoted to this task. The present Domestic Relations Committee was established by Order of the Supreme Court dated June 30, 1987 and has assumed the responsibility for rules of procedure governing the family law actions. The members of the former Domestic Relations Section were named as the members of the new Committee.

The Committee is composed of seven lawyers and judges appointed by the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania. The members are appointed for a term of three years and may serve a maximum of three full terms.

Through December 31, 1990, the Committee shared an office and staff with the Civil Procedural Rules Committee. The office was located at 1515 Market Street, Suite 1428, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and the staff consisted of an executive director, a research assistant and a secretary. With the advent of separate funding for the Domestic Relations Committee, it has established its own office, which is located temporarily at 818 City-County Building, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

The Committee held six meetings in 1990. The February, May and October meetings were held in Philadelphia, and the July meeting was held in Hershey. There were two meetings held by conference call in August and September.

1989 Recommendations

The Committee's recommendations to the Supreme Court during 1989 are listed below. A status of these recommendations follows.

Recommendation No. 5 proposes to amend the rules governing the action of divorce or for annulment of marriage by conforming the rules to amendments to the Divorce Code by Act No. 1988-13 and by providing for a pretrial statement in divorce actions.

Recommendation No. 6 proposes to amend Rule 1920.52 governing the decision of the court and post-trial practice in divorce actions.

Recommendation No. 7 proposes to amend the rule governing attachment of income in support to bring it into conformity with Section 4348 of the Support Law, as amended by Act No. 81 of 1989.

Recommendation 8 proposes to implement Act No. 1988-35, which requires that

there be expedited procedures for contempt in actions for support.

Recommendation 9, later re-published as recommendation 11, proposes to amend Rule 1910.22 to implement Act 1988-35, which provides for arrears in support to constitute a judgement as a matter of law.

Recommendation 10 proposes to amend the rules governing custody to eliminate the requirement that the subject child or children be required to attend each custody hearing or conference as a matter of course.

Continuing Responsibilities

The work of the Domestic Relations Committee continues in the areas of divorce, support, custody and protection from abuse. Much of the work of the Committee during the coming year will result from legislation enacted in 1988: amendments to the Divorce Code (Act No. 1988-13), amendments to the Protection from Abuse Act (Act No. 1988-56), and amendments to the support law (Act No. 1988-35).

Status of Recommendations
1990

Recommendation Number	Subject	Status
5	Divorce - Amendments Required by Act 1988-13	Pending in the Committee
6	Divorce - Post-Trial Practice	Pending in the Committee
7	Support - Attachment of Income	Promulgated September 26, 1990
8	Implements Act No. 1988-35 - contempt in actions for support	Pending in the Committee
9 (re-pub. as 11)	Amends Rule 1910.22 to implement Act 1988-35	Pending in the Committee
10	Amending rules governing custody	Pending in the Committee
11	See No. 9	

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Article V, Section 18 of the PA Constitution

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As prescribed by Pennsylvania's Constitution, the Judicial Inquiry and Review Board consists of nine members as follows: "(a)...three judges of the courts of common pleas from different judicial districts and two judges of the Superior Court, all of whom shall be selected by the Supreme Court; and two non-judge members of the bar of the Supreme Court and two non-lawyer electors, all of whom shall be selected by the Governor."

"(b) The members shall serve for terms of four years, provided that a member, rather than his successor, shall continue to participate in any hearing in progress at the end of his term. A vacancy on the board shall be filled by the respective appointing authority for the balance of the term. The respective appointing authority may remove a member only for cause. No member shall serve more than four consecutive years; he may be reappointed after a lapse of one year. Annually the members of the board shall elect a chairman. The board shall act only with the concurrence of a majority of its members."

The Constitution prescribes the function of the Judicial Inquiry and Review Board and the procedures regarding judicial discipline to be, in part, as follows:

"(d) Under the procedure prescribed herein, any justice or judge may be suspended, removed from office or otherwise disciplined for violation of section seventeen of this article, misconduct in office, neglect of duty, failure to perform his duties, or conduct which prejudices the proper administration of justice or brings the judicial office into disrepute, and may be retired for disability seriously interfering with the performance of his duties."

"(e) The board shall keep informed as to matters relating to grounds for suspension, removal, discipline, or compulsory retirement of justices or judges. It shall receive complaints or reports, formal or informal, from any source pertaining to such matters, and shall make such preliminary investigations as it deems necessary."

"(f) The board, after such investigation, may order a hearing concerning the suspension, removal, discipline or compulsory retirement of a justice or judge..."

"(g) If, after the hearing, the board finds good cause therefor, it shall recommend to the Supreme Court the suspension, removal, discipline or compulsory retirement of the justice or judge."

"(h) The Supreme Court shall review the record of the board's proceedings on the law and facts and may permit the introduction of additional evidence. It shall order suspension, removal, discipline or compulsory retirement, or wholly reject the recommendation, as it finds just and proper....All papers filed with and proceedings before the board shall be confidential but upon being filed by the board in the Supreme Court, the record shall lose its confidential character. The filing of papers with and the giving of testimony before the board shall be privileged."

At the beginning of 1990, 173 matters were pending before the Board and during the year an additional 325 inquires were initiated either as the result

of the receipt of a complaint or as a result of the Board's action itself. Therefore, a total of 498 matters were before the Board during the year 1990. At the end of the year, approximately 174 matters were pending.

Four matters were referred to the Supreme Court with recommendations for formal discipline. Four recommendations that had been referred to the Supreme Court by the Board were acted upon by the Court in 1990. In two of the cases the Court found that no misconduct had occurred and rejected the Board's recommendations. In the other two, the Court found misconduct and ordered the removal of the respondents.

The Board dismissed 39 matters following formal investigation as either unfounded or because there was no evidence of misconduct, and 284 matters were rejected following preliminary investigation because they were frivolous or were otherwise without merit.

During the year the Board issued 42 letters of inquiry to members of the judiciary pursuant to Rule 1(b) of the Rules of Procedure. Three sets of formal charges were authorized by the Board and 5 formal hearings were conducted. Additionally, 1 matter was administratively closed and 1 matter was closed following the resignation of the subject of the inquiry.

Minor Court Rules Committee

1990 MEMBERSHIP:

Hon. James E. Russo, Chairman
Hon. Charles A. Dasch
Hon. Roger A. Estep
Hon. John T. Jeffers
Hon. Carmen J. Maffei
Hon. Samuel J. Magaro
Carl G. Wass, Esq.

Staff:

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Administrator

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Legal Authorization:

PA Constitution Article V, § 10(c) and Supreme Court Order No. 92 (Magisterial Docket No., 1, Book No. 2) April 17, 1990

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In 1990 the Minor Court Rules Committee was established pursuant to the Pennsylvania Supreme Court Order No. 92 (Magisterial Docket No. 1, Book No. 2), issued on April 17, 1990. The order re-established the Minor Court Civil Procedural Rules Committee as the Minor Court Rules Committee, consisting of seven members appointed for three years. During calendar year 1990 the Committee reorganized under its Chairman, the Honorable James E. Russo, District Justice, Allegheny County.

The Committee proposes rules and standards regarding conduct of district justices, rules and standards pertaining to the offices of district justices, and proposes rules of civil procedure and rules of criminal procedure for district justices, as well as amendments to said rules.

Two meetings were held by the Committee in 1990. The Committee's first meeting was a three-day session beginning on September 19, 1990 and ending on September 21, 1990, and the second meeting was held on December 14, 1990. As a result of these two meetings, the Minor Court Rules Committee is preparing to submit a proposal to the Pennsylvania Supreme Court amending twenty-one (21) Rules of Civil Procedure for district justices. The proposed amendments range from the authorization for indigent defendants to file In Forma Pauperis to the realignment of the civil rules of procedure to coincide with the automation of the district justice court offices throughout Pennsylvania. It is anticipated that the proposed amendments will be presented to the Pennsylvania Supreme Court in the first quarter of 1991.

Minor Judiciary Education Board

1990 MEMBERSHIP:

Judge Michael J. Conroy, Jr., Chairperson
District Justice Charles R. Wise, Vice-Chairperson
District Justice Donald O. Riehl, Secretary
District Justice Hugo R. Iorfido, Treasurer **
District Justice Julia Ann Rozum, Treasurer *
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Harvey Freedenberg, Esq. ****
Ronald E. Sharp, Ph.D. ***

Staff:

Robert E. Hessler, Executive Director
Susanne S. Sponseller, Education Officer

* Retired, January 1990
** New Member, April 1990
*** Term Expired, June 1990
**** New Member, November 1990

Legal Authorization:

PA Constitution, Article V, Section 12
Title 42, PA CSA, Section 2131
Title 42, PA CSA, Section 31
Title 42, PA CSA, Section 3118

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Article V, Section 12, of the Pennsylvania Constitution requires Judges of Philadelphia Traffic Court and District Justices to be members of the Bar of the Supreme Court or to have completed a course of training and instruction in the duties of their respective offices and to have passed an examination prior to assuming office. Such courses and examinations shall be as provided by law. The Judicial Code (42 PA CSA, Section 2131) provides for the Minor Judiciary Education Board to consist of seven members.

Pursuant to Statute Title 42, PA CSA Chapter 31, the Minor Judiciary Education Board is responsible for the instruction and certification of individuals intending to become District Justices, Philadelphia Traffic Court Judges, and Philadelphia Bail Commissioners. In addition, the Board conducts continuing education for District Justices, Senior District Justices and Philadelphia Bail Commissioners. The Board approves the curriculum, appoints and evaluates instructors, establishes course content, reviews all tests, and issues certificates to successful program participants.

During this past year the approved subjects for the four-week certifying course included Criminal Law and Procedure, Civil Law and Procedures, Rules of Evidence, Judicial Ethics, Human Behavior, Motor Vehicle Law, District Justice Office Administration and the District Justice Office Clerical Procedures Manual, Arrest/Search and Seizure, and the PA Drug/Device and Cosmetic Act.

Continuing education for all of the Commonwealth's District Justices and Philadelphia Bail Commissioners is mandated by the Judicial Code (42 PA CSA Section 3118). In 1990, during the 13 scheduled weeks the following courses made up the 32 required course hours for District Justices: Review and Update of Civil and Criminal Procedure, Crimes' Code, Motor Vehicle Code, Caseflow Management, Ethics, Department of Transportation presentation, Department of Revenue presentation, and Statewide Automation Update. The one-week mandatory course for Philadelphia Bail Commissioners consisted of the following: Update and Review of the PA Crimes Code, Drug/Device and Cosmetic Act/ Mandatory Sentences, Search/Seizure, PA Criminal Rules, Court Procedures and Bail Rules, Narcotics/Narcotics ID and Weighing and Philadelphia Administrative Practices.

In addition to conducting educational courses at its facility in Chambersburg, the Minor Judiciary Education Board participated in the following:

a) Produced a criminal, civil, and motor vehicle update reference manual which was distributed to all district justices.

b) Participated on the committee for the implementation of statewide automation of the minor court system.

c) Participated in the planning of education for Constables in the Commonwealth by sending a delegate to the PA Constable Association meetings.

d) Participated on the PA Association of Court Management's Education and Training Committee.

e) Provided funds for two Board members, a Court Administrator, and the Executive Director to participate in Institute for Court Management's course, "Caseflow Management in Courts of Initial Jurisdiction."

f) Provided staff assistance to the minor judiciary, Court Administrators, President Judges and related court agencies in answering questions pertaining to the Board, the minor courts system, and the Board's courses of instruction.

g) The Minor Judiciary Education Board provided funding for instructors from the National Judicial College to make a presentation at the Special Court Judges Association's annual conference.

h) The Minor Judiciary Education Board implemented Rules 19, 20, and 21 of Title 204 Judicial System General Provisions, which were promulgated by the Pennsylvania Supreme Court, requiring additional training for district justices, senior district justices, Philadelphia Bail Commissioners and Philadelphia Traffic Court Judges who have not assumed office within two years of certification or who have not participated in a continuing education program after certification.

i) The Minor Judiciary Education Board approved two weeks of continuing education for newly elected and appointed district justices within the first year of their taking office.

Orphans' Court Rules Committee *

1990 MEMBERSHIP:

Hon. Edmund S. Pawelec, Chairman *\+
Martin A. Heckscher, Esq., Secretary
Hon. Michael J. O'Malley *
Hon. Judith J. Jamison
Hon. Gilfert M. Mihalich
Thomas F. Nelson, Esq.
Fred J. Wiest, Esq.

* New Member, May 1990
+ Appointed Chairman, May 1990

Legal Authorization:

Article V, Section 10(c) of the Constitution of 1968 and 42 PA C.S. § 1722

* No report filed

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The Hon. Robert L. Walker, Chairman
Socio-Legal Subcommittee
Joseph J. O'Mara, Ph.D.

Staff:

Roger B. Meilton, Executive Director

Legal Authorization:

Article V, Section 10(c) of the
Pennsylvania Constitution

Committee For Proposed Standard Jury Instructions

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The Pennsylvania Supreme Court Committee for Proposed Standard Jury Instructions was first appointed in 1968 by Chief Justice John C. Bell for the express purpose of developing pattern jury charges for the assistance of both the bench and the bar. The Committee's mission from the outset has been to assist the administration of justice in both civil and criminal court proceedings through the availability of model jury instructions. As a result, comprehensive volumes of suggested civil and criminal jury instructions have been published by the Committee. The suggested instructions guide judges and lawyers and support research and preparation of instructions during the trial process. The ongoing purpose of the Committee is to monitor developments in civil and criminal law and to recommend and to publish revised and new instructions as required.

In developing updates to the civil and criminal instructions, the Committee through its Subcommittees makes every effort to ensure that the instructions are useful to judges and lawyers and at the same time comprehensible to jurors. To assist jurors in their understanding of the principles of law, the lanquage of each instruction is reviewed by the Committee's Socio-Legal Subcommittee.

In 1984, the Civil Instructions Subcommittee published the first supplement to the Civil Jury Instructions. Since that time, the Subcommittee has been researching and drafting revised and new jury instructions. A second supplement is now ready for distribution. The fifth supplement to the Criminal Jury Instructions was published in 1988. Research for the sixth supplement to the Criminal Instructions continues under the direction of the Reporter to the Subcommittee and publication is expected in 1991.

Since 1979, the Pennsylvania Bar Institute has provided all administrative and publishing support for the Committee. The Institute also provides all of the funding necessary to sustain this project. Project costs are underwritten through the sale and distribution of the published suggested standard instructions.

Members of the bench and bar are urged to provide their comments and suggestions to the Committee. Such comments are of great assistance to the Reporters and Subcommittee members in their ongoing efforts to ensure the instructions reflect the current state of the law in Pennsylvania. Those interested may write to Roger B. Meilton, Esq., c/o Pennsylvania Bar Institute, 104 South Street, P.O. Box 1027, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17108-1027, or call either 800/932-4637 or 717/233-5774.

COURT FINANCES - Fiscal Year 1990-1991

Funding for the Unified Judicial System derives from both state and county appropriations. The state pays the salaries for all judicial officers as well as the personnel and operating costs of the entire appellate court system, including the Committees and Boards of the Supreme Court and the Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts. Table I provides a breakdown of state-funded expenditures for fiscal year 1990-1991. Of the total state government expenditures for fiscal year 1990-91, *administrative costs for the Judiciary accounted for approximately one-half of one percent.* Figure A shows the distribution of expenditures across the three branches of government.

The Commonwealth also provides reimbursement to the counties for costs incurred in support of the trial courts of limited jurisdiction. Specifically, payments are made to reimburse counties for a percentage of juror costs incurred beyond the third day of service in a trial or grand jury proceeding. In addition, counties are reimbursed for personnel and operating costs associated with the administration of the district justice offices. Reimbursement is based on a flat rate established by the General Assembly for each authorized district justice position. During FY 1990-1991 the flat rate was $30,000 per district justice position. Finally, the counties are reimbursed for the personnel and administration of the Courts of Common Pleas. Like the district justice reimbursement grant, payments to the counties are based on a flat rate per common pleas position; however, the General Assembly also requires that counties spend an amount at least equal to the flat rate, per judge, which was $70,000 for the fiscal year. Table II identifies the amount of reimbursement provided to each county, by grant program, for fiscal year 1990-1991. One exception to the current funding pattern is the Pittsburgh Magistrates Court, where all costs are borne by the City of Pittsburgh.

The Unified Judicial System is a source of considerable revenue to local and state government. For example, fees collected by the appellate courts, the Minor Judiciary Education Board and the State Board of Law Examiners, are listed in Table III. Appropriated by the General Assembly, these fees are used to support state-funded court operations.

Although exact figures are not available, the court system raises millions of dollars in revenue for local municipalities. Depending on the police department (local or state) from which a citation is issued, a portion of the fines collected for traffic violations under the vehicle code, violations of local ordinances, and certain violations of summary offenses, among others, are disbursed to local political subdivisions after adjudication within the Unified Judicial System.

The counties are also a recipient of court collected fines, fees, and costs. Fees are generated in connection with the commencement of actions, the filing of liens, appeals and accounts, etc. On an

annual basis, the collections amount to tens of millions of dollars. The monies are collected by courts at all levels of the system.

Finally, a portion of the revenues collected by the courts is earmarked for the state. Some of these funds are program specific - e.g. Pennsylvania's Emergency Medical Fund and the Crime Victims' Compensation Board. Other state-designated revenues are used, through Act 64 of 1987, and Act 59 of 1990, to provide funding for the Statewide Judicial Computer Project. Also, other monies collected, such as motor vehicle fines, revert to the state general fund.

FIGURE A

Pennsylvania Government FY 1990-91

General, Special, Federal, & Other Funds Expenditures

Executive Branch - 98.7%

Legislative Branch - .6%

Judicial Branch - .5%

County Reimbursement for Courts - .2%

Source: FY 1991-92 Governor's Recommended Budget

TABLE I

APPROPRIATIONS

(amounts in thousands)

APPROPRIATION	1990-91
Supreme Court	$5,134
Home Office Expenses	1,420
Justice Expenses	129
Civil Procedural Rules Committee	235
Domestic Relations Committee	193
Criminal Procedural Rules Committee	252
PA Board of Law Examiners	40
Judicial Inquiry and Review Board	676
Superior Court	10,250
Home Office Expenses	3,065
Judges' Expenses	182
Commonwealth Court	6,139
Home Office Expenses	1,936
Judges' Expenses	111
Court Administrator	3,344
*Statewide Judicial Computer System**	5,400
Court of Common Pleas	35,117
Common Pleas Senior Judges	2,430
Common Pleas Judicial Education	389
District Justices	28,734
District Justice Education	406
Philadelphia Traffic Court	381
Philadelphia Municipal Court	2,754
Philadelphia Law Clerks	40
Domestic Violence	70
Juror Cost Reimbursement	1,469
County Court Reimbursement	27,741
District Justice Reimbursement	17,130
TOTAL	$155,167

*The Statewide Judicial Computer System is funded through a restricted account as a result of Act 64 of 1987 and Act 59 of 1990 and not with state general fund money.

The amounts reflect expenditures from state appropriations.

TABLE II

COUNTY REIMBURSEMENTS FOR COURTS
- FY 1990-91

COUNTY	JUROR COST	DISTRICT JUSTICE	COUNTY COURT	TOTAL
Adams	$1,732.27	$120,000	$140,000	$261,732.27
Allegheny	217,533.64	1,650,000	2,870,000	4,737,533.64
Armstrong	2,392.75	120,000	140,000	262,392.75
Beaver	5,934.24	270,000	350,000	625,934.24
Bedford	0.00	120,000	70,000	190,000.00
Berks	20,704.40	540,000	560,000	1,120,704.40
Blair	16,095.74	210,000	280,000	506,095.74
Bradford	1,323.17	120,000	140,000	261,323.17
Bucks	43,177.30	510,000	700,000	1,253,177.30
Butler	6,029.86	150,000	210,000	366,029.86
Cambria	31,734.40	300,000	350,000	681,734.40
Cameron/	0.00	30,000	10,500	40,500.00
Elk	318.76	60,000	59,500	119,818.76
Carbon	937.10	120,000	70,000	190,937.10
Centre	2,501.65	120,000	140,000	262,501.65
Chester	15,541.41	390,000	560,000	965,541.41
Clarion	0.00	120,000	70,000	190,000.00
Clearfield	4,648.75	120,000	140,000	264,648.75
Clinton	885.96	90,000	70,000	160,885.96
Columbia/	619.01	120,000	110,600	231,219.01
Montour	1,743.14	30,000	29,400	61,143.14
Crawford	6,339.10	180,000	140,000	326,339.10
Cumberland	23,277.58	240,000	280,000	543,277.58
Dauphin	52,451.58	360,000	420,000	832,451.58
Delaware	20,872.36	900,000	1,120,000	2,040,872.36
Erie	28,753.78	450,000	560,000	1,038,753.78
Fayette	0.00	390,000	350,000	740,000.00
Forest/	0.00	60,000	7,000	67,000.00
Warren	0.00	150,000	63,000	213,000.00
Franklin/	1,733.12	180,000	189,000	370,733.12
Fulton	959.96	90,000	21,000	111,959.96
Greene	4,348.72	90,000	70,000	164,348.72
Huntingdon	5,861.68	120,000	70,000	195,861.68
Indiana	1,838.54	120,000	140,000	261,838.54
Jefferson	1,889.39	90,000	70,000	161,889.39
Juniata/	1,934.40	60,000	24,500	86,434.40
Perry	2,666.98	90,000	45,500	138,166.98
Lackawanna	14,477.09	390,000	420,000	824,477.09
Lancaster	14,704.47	600,000	490,000	1,104,704.47
Lawrence	26,591.62	150,000	210,000	386,591.62
Lebanon	2,694.40	210,000	210,000	422,694.40
Lehigh	28,270.10	420,000	490,000	938,270.10
Luzerne	42,973.74	540,000	490,000	1,072,973.74
Lycoming	20,940.52	180,000	210,000	410,940.52

TABLE II (continued)

COUNTY REIMBURSEMENTS FOR COURTS
FY 1990-91

COUNTY	JUROR COST	DISTRICT JUSTICE	COUNTY COURT	TOTAL
McKean	$0.00	$120,000	$70,000	$190,000.00
Mercer	8,317.53	150,000	210,000	368,317.53
Mifflin	1,495.05	60,000	70,000	131,495.05
Monroe	22,233.70	240,000	210,000	472,233.70
Montgomery	31,891.00	870,000	1,120,000	2,021,891.00
Northampton	20,023.80	450,000	420,000	890,023.80
Northumberland	11,176.74	120,000	140,000	271,176.74
Philadelphia	459,340.00	840,000	9,750,316	11,049,656.00
Pike	875.31	90,000	70,000	160,875.31
Potter	1,645.56	120,000	70,000	191,645.56
Schuylkill	6,564.22	210,000	350,000	566,564.22
Snyder/	474.27	60,000	71,400	131,874.27
Union	1,354.65	60,000	68,600	129,954.65
Somerset	4,185.03	150,000	140,000	294,185.03
Sullivan/	0.00	60,000	13,300	73,300.00
Wyoming	268.29	90,000	56,700	146,968.29
Susquehanna	2,394.22	90,000	70,000	162,394.22
Tioga	0.00	90,000	70,000	160,000.00
Venango	12,394.90	120,000	70,000	202,394.90
Washington	27,478.51	420,000	350,000	797,478.51
Wayne	142.85	120,000	70,000	190,142.85
Westmoreland	38,813.82	630,000	630,000	1,298,813.82
York	60,267.42	480,000	490,000	1,030,267.42
TOTAL	$1,388,769.55	$17,010,000	$27,740,316	$46,139,085.55

FUNDING METHODOLOGIES:

Juror Cost - The grant funds 80 percent of juror costs (compensation and travel) beyond the third day of service if the juror is participating in a trial or in grand jury proceedings.

District Justice - The grant provides reimbursement for costs incurred in the administration and operation of the offices of district justices, Philadelphia Traffic and Municipal Court at a rate of $30,000 per authorized position.

County Court - The grant provides reimbursement for costs associated with the administration and operation of the Court of Common Pleas at a rate of $70,000 per authorized common pleas position, whether filled or vacant. In order for the counties to receive the full reimbursement, they must demonstrate a level of support equal to the $70,000 per authorized position. This information is obtained from the county's Annual Audit and Financial Report that is submitted to the Department of Community Affairs. However, no county shall receive less than 75% of the actual reimbursement for court costs provided to them from funds appropriated for the fiscal year July 1, 1980 to June 30, 1981.

TABLE III

FEES THAT SUPPORT STATE OPERATIONS
(amounts in thousands)

APPROPRIATION	1990-91
Supreme Court	$254
PA Board of Law Examiners	967
Superior Court	255
Commonwealth Court	202
District Justice Education	35
Court Administrator	2
TOTAL	$1,715

Supreme Court Justices

Nix, Robert N. C., Jr.
Chief Justice
Larsen, Rolf
Flaherty, John P., Jr.
McDermott, James T.
Zappala, Stephen A.
Papadakos, Nicholas P.
Cappy, Ralph J. *

* Commenced 1-1-90

Superior Court Judges

Cirillo, Vincent A.
President Judge
Cavanaugh, James R.
Rowley, James E.
Wieand, Donald E.
McEwen, Jr., Stephen J.
Olszewski, Peter Paul
Del Sole, Joseph A.
Montemuro, Jr., Frank J.
Beck, Phyllis W.
Tamilia, Patrick R.
Kelly, Jr., John T. J.
Popovich, Zoran
Johnson, Justin M.
Ford Elliott, Kate *
Hudock, Joseph A. *

* Commenced 1-1-90

Superior Court Senior Judges

Watkins, G. Harold
Montgomery, Harry M.
Hoffman, J. Sydney
Cercone, William F.
Hester, John P.
Brosky, John G. *

* Commenced 1-1-90

Commonwealth Court Judges

Crumlish, Jr., James C. ***
President Judge
Craig, David W. +
President Judge
Doyle, Joseph T.
Barry, Francis A. **
Colins, James G.
Palladino, Madaline
McGinley, Bernard L.
Smith, Doris A.
Pellegrini, Dante R. *
Kelley, James R. + +
Byer, Robert L. + + +

* Commenced 01-03-90
** Retired 01-07-90
*** Retired 05-03-90
\+ Effective 05-04-90
+ + Commenced 06-21-90
+ + + Commenced 06-22-90

Commonwealth Court Senior Judges

Barbieri, Alexander F.
Silvestri, Silvestri *
Crumlish, Jr., James C. ***
Blatt, Genevieve
Barry, Francis A. **
Narick, Emil E.

* Commenced 1-1-90
** Commenced 1-10-90
*** Commenced 5-7-90

Judges of Courts of Common Pleas
(as of Dec. 1990)

Adams County
Judicial District 51

Spicer, Oscar F.
President Judge

Kuhn, John D.

Allegheny County
Judicial District 05

Zavarella, Paul R.
President Judge

Dauer, Robert E.
Administrative Judge
O'Malley, Michael
Administrative Judge
Musmanno, John L.
Administrative Judge
Strassburger,III Eugene
Administrative Judge

Bigley, Gerard M.
Cercone, David S.
Craig, Cheryl A. **
Farino, S. Louis
Friedman, Judith L.
Gallo, Robert C. *
Horgos, Robert P.
Jaffe, Joseph A.
James, Joseph M.
Johnson, Livingston M.
Kaplan, Lawrence W.
Kelly, Robert A
Lee, Donald J.
Little, Walter R.
Lutty, Jr., Paul F. *
Manning, Jeffrey A.
Mazur, Lee
McDaniel, Donna J.
McFalls, Patrick
McGowan, Bernard J.
McGregor, James R.
McLean, James H.
Melvin, Joan O. ***
Murphy, David W. *****
Novak, Raymond A.
O'Brien, W. Terrence
O'Brien, John W. ****
Penkower, Alan S.
Ridge, Joseph H.
Ross, Eunice L.
Ross, George H.
Smith, Jr., Ralph H.
Watson, J. Warren
Wekselman, I. Martin
Wettick, Jr., R. Stanton
Zeleznik, Richard G.

* Commenced 01-01-90
** Appointed 07-20-90
*** Appointed 07-30-90
**** Resigned 07-31-90
***** Appointed 12-18-90

Armstrong County
Judicial District 33

House, Jr., Roy A.
President Judge

Nickleach, Joseph A.

Beaver County
Judicial District 36

Reed, Robert C.
President Judge

Kunselman, Robert E.
Mannix, Thomas C.
Steege, Peter O.
Walko, Joseph S.

Bedford County
Judicial District 57

Howsare, Daniel L.
President Judge

Berks County
Judicial District 23

Schaeffer, Jr., Forrest G.,
President Judge

Ehrlich, Elizabeth G.
Eshelman, Thomas J.
Grim, Arthur E.
Keller, Scott D.
Ludgate, Linda K. *
Smith, Calvin E.
Stallone, Albert A.

* Commenced 01-01-90

Blair County
Judicial District 24

Peoples, Jr., Thomas G.
President Judge

Callan, Norman D.
Carpenter, Hiram A. *
Kopriva, Jolene G.

* Commenced 01-01-90

Bradford County
Judicial District 42

Smith, Jeffrey A.
President Judge

Mott, John C.

Bucks County
Judicial District 07

Garb, Isaac S.
President Judge

Bucks County (cont.)
Judicial District 07

Biehn, Kenneth G.
Biester, Jr., Edward G.
Clark, Ward F.
Kane, Michael J.
Kelton, George T.
Rufe, III, William H.
Scott, Susan D. *
Sokolove, Leonard B.

* Commenced 01-01-90

Butler County
Judicial District 50

Rauschenberger, Floyd A.
President Judge

Brydon, John H.
O'Brien, Martin J.

Cambria County
Judicial District 47

Abood, Caram J.
President Judge

Leahey, Francis J.
Long, Gerard
O'Kicki, Joseph F. *
Swope, Jr., Thomas A.

* Relieved from Service 10-11-88

Carbon County
Judicial District 56

Lavelle, John P.
President Judge

Centre County
Judicial District 48

Brown, Jr., Charles C.
President Judge
Grine, David E.

Chester County
Judicial District 15

Sugerman, Leonard
President Judge

Endy, Alexander
Gavin, Thomas G.
Joyner, J. Curtis
Melody, Jr., M. Joseph
Shenkin, Robert J. *
Smith, Charles B.
Wood, Lawrence E.

* Commenced 01-01-90

Clarion County
Judicial District 18

Alexander, Charles R.
President Judge

Clearfield County
Judicial District 46

Reilly, Jr., John, K.
President Judge

Ammerman, Joseph S.

Clinton County
Judicial District 25

Brown, Carson V.
President Judge

Columbia-Montour County
Judicial District 26

Myers, Jay W.
President Judge

Keller, Gailey C.

Crawford County
Judicial District 30

Thomas, P. Richard **
President Judge

Miller, Gordon R. *\+
President Judge

* Commenced 01-01-90
** Retired 08-11-90
+ Effective 08-14-91

Cumberland County
Judicial District 09

Sheely, Harold E.
President Judge

Bayley, Edgar B.
Hess, Kevin A.
Hoffer, George E.

Dauphin County
Judicial District 12

Swope, Lee F.
President Judge

Dowling, John C.
Morgan, Warren G.
Morrison, Clarence C.
Natale, Sebastian D.
Schaffner, Herbert A.

Delaware County
Judicial District 32

Catania, Francis J. *
President Judge
Toal, Jr., William R. **
President Judge

Jerome, Domenic D.
Administrative Judge
Reed, Jr., Howard F. ***
Administrative Judge
Surrick, R. B.
Administrative Judge

Battle, Joseph F.
Bradley, Harry J.
Hazel, Frank T.
Keeler, Charles C.

Delaware County (cont.)
Judicial District 32

Labrum, Jr., Joseph T.
Lawhorne, Edward S.
Levy, Melvin G.
McGovern, Jr., Clement J.
Prescott, Rita E.
Semeraro, Anthony R.
Sereni, A. Leo *

* Commenced 01-01-90
** Retired 03-24-90
*** Effective 04-04-90
**** Retired 12-18-90

Elk County
Judicial District 59

Daghir, Gordon J.
President Judge

Erie County
Judicial District 06

Jiuliante, Jessamine S.
President Judge

Anthony, Fred P.
Bozza, John A.
Connelly, Shad F.
Domitrovich, Stephanie A. *
Fischer, Roger M.
Joyce, Michael T.
Levin, George

* Commenced 01-01-90

Fayette County
Judicial District 14

Cicchetti, Richard D.
President Judge

Capuzzi, Conrad B.
Franks, William J.
Solomon, Gerald R.
Wagner, Jr., John F.

Franklin-Fulton Counties
Judicial District 39

Keller, John W.
President Judge

Kaye, William H.
Walker, John R.

Greene County
Judicial District 13

Grimes, H. Terry
President Judge

Huntingdon County
Judicial District 20

Taylor, Newton C.
President Judge

Indiana County
Judicial District 40

Earley, Robert C.
President Judge

Ruddock, W. Parker

Jefferson County
Judicial District 54

Snyder, Edwin L.
President Judge

Lackawanna County
Judicial District 45

Walsh, James J.
President Judge

Cottone, S. John
Eagen, III, Francis P.
Harhut, Chester T.
Munley, James M.
O'Malley, Carlon M.

Lancaster County
Judicial District 02

Eckman, D. R.
President Judge

Buckwalter, Ronald L.
Farina, Louis J.
Georgelis, Michael A.
Herr, Louise G.
Hummer, Jr., Wayne G.
Perezous, Michael J.
Stengel, Lawrence F. *

* Appointed 10-29-90

Lawrence County
Judicial District 53

McCracken, Jr., Glenn
President Judge

Caiazza, Francis X.
Pratt, Ralph D.

Lebanon County
Judicial District 52

Gates, G. Thomas *
President Judge

Walter, John A.
President Judge **

Eby, Robert J.

* Resigned 06-01-90
** Effective 06-04-90

Lehigh County
Judical District 31

Backenstoe, John E.
President Judge

Davison, Maxwell E.
Diefenderfer, James N.
Gardner, James Knoll
McGinley, Carol K.
Mellenberg, David E.
Young, Robert K.

Luzerne County
Judicial District 11

Hourigan, Robert J.
President Judge

Brominski, Bernard C.
Cappellini, Gifford S.
Muroski, Chester B.
Podcasy, Bernard J. *
Toole, Jr., Patrick J.

* Retired 08-10-90

Lycoming County
Judicial District 29

Raup, Thomas C.
President Judge

Brown, Kenneth D.
Smith, Clinton W.

McKean County
Judicial District 48

Cleland, John M.
President Judge

Mercer County
Judicial District 35

Acker, Albert E.
President Judge

Fornelli, Francis J.
Frampton, Thomas T.

Mifflin County
Judicial District 58

Searer, Francis A
President Judge

Monroe County
Judicial District 43

Marsh, James R.
President Judge

O'Brien, Peter J.
Vican, Ronald E.

Montgomery County
Judicial District 38

Vogel, William W.
President Judge

Brody, Anita B.
Brown, Lawrence A.
Corso, S. Gerald
Lawrence, Marjorie C.
Lowe, Richard S.
Moore, Bernard A.
Nicholas, William T.
Ott, Stanley R.
Rossanese, Jr., Maurino J.
Salus, II, Samuel W.
Smyth, Jr., Joseph A.
Stefan, Louis D.
Subers, Albert R.
Tressler, Paul W.
Yohn, Jr., William H.

Northampton County
Judicial District 03

Williams, Jr., Alfred T.
President Judge

Freedberg, Robert A.
McFadden, F.P. Kimberly
Moran, William F.
Simpson, Jr., Robert E.

Northumberland County
Judicial District 08

Ranck, Samuel C.
President Judge

Feudale, Barry F.

Perry County
Judicial District 41

Quigley, Keith B.
President Judge

Philadelphia County
Judicial District 01

Bradley, Edward J.
President Judge

Blake, Edward J.
Administrative Judge
Pawelec, Edmund S.
Administrative Judge
Zaleski, Jerome A.
Administrative Judge

Abraham, Lynne M.
Ackerman, Norman
Avellino, Bernard J.
Bernstein, Mark I.
Biunno, Francis A.
Bonavitacola, Alex
Braxton, John L.
Bruno, Joseph C.
Caesar, Berel
Carson, Jr., Curtis C. **
Chen, Ida K.
Chiovero, John J.
Clark, Tama M.
Clarke,Eugene H.*******
Cohen, Gene D.
Cohen, Pamela P. *
Colins, Mary D. *
D'Alessandro, Nicholas M.
Davis, Legrome D.
DeFino, Anthony J.
Della Porta, Armand
Diaz, Nelson A.
Dibona, Jr., Alfred J.
Dinubile, Jr., Victor J.
Durham, Charles L.
Fitzgerald, III, James J. *
Gafni, Abraham J.
Goldman, Murray C.
Goodheart, Bernard J.
Gordon, Levan
Greenspan, Jane C.
Guarino, Angelo A.
Gutowicz, Theodore S. ***
Halbert, Marvin R.
Herron, John W.
Hill, Louis G.

Philadelphia County (cont.)
Judicial District 01

Ivanoski, Leonard A.
Jackson, Frank M.
Jackson, Ricardo C.
Jamison, Judith J.
Jelin, Sheldon C.
Jenkins, Norman A.
Jones, II, C. Darnell
Katz, Leon
Klein, Richard B.
Kozay, Jr., Nicholas, S.
Kremer, I. R.
Latrone, Robert A.
Lehrer, Samuel M.
Levin, Stephen E.
Lewis, Kathryn S.
Lord, Charles A.
Lord, G. Craig
Maier, Eugene E.
Manfredi, William J.
Massiah-Jackson, Frederica
Mazzola, William J.
McCabe, Jr., Joseph P.
McCrudden, James D.
McKee, Theodore A.
Mirarchi, Jr., Charles P.
Moss, Sandra M.
New, Arnold L. ******
Nigro, Russell M.
O'Brien, Frank X.
O'Keefe, Joseph D.
Panepinto, Paul P. *****
Poserina, Jr., John J.
Prattis, Lawrence
Reynolds, Abram F.
Ribner, Paul
Richette, Lisa A.
Russell, Edward E.
Sabo, Albert F. ********
Savitt, David N.
Sheppard, Jr., Albert W.
Summers, Edward R.
Sylvester, Esther R.
Temin, Carolyn E.
Tereshko, Allan L. ****
Tucker, Petrese B.
Watkins, Thomas D.
Wilson, Calvin T.

* Commenced 01-01-90
** Retired 02-03-90
*** Retired 05-01-90
**** Appointed 06-15-90
***** Appointed 06-25-90
****** Appointed 06-29-90
******* Retired 07-24-90
******** Retired 12-19-90

Pike County
Judicial District 60

Thomson, Jr., Harold A.
President Judge

Potter County
Judicial District 55

Leete, John B.
President Judge

Schuylkill County
Judicial District 21

Lavelle, John E. *
President Judge

McCloskey, Joseph F. **
President Judge

Baldwin, William E.
Dolbin, Donald D.
Rubright, Wilbur H.
Stine, Dwight M. ***

* Retired 01-21-90
** Effective 01-22-90
*** Appointed 07-16-90

Somerset County
Judicial District 16

Fike, Eugene E., II
President Judge

Cascio, John M.

Susquehanna County
Judicial District 34

Seamans, Kenneth W.
President Judge

Tioga County
Judicial District 04

Kemp, Robert M.
President Judge

Union-Snyder County
Judicial District 17

Mc Clure, Jr., James F.
President Judge

Bromfield, Wayne A.
Woelfel, Jr., Harold F. *

* Appointed 10-20-90

Venango County
Judicial District 28

White, William H.
President Judge

Warren County
Judicial District 37

Wolfe, Robert L.
President Judge

Washington County
Judicial District 27

Gladden, Thomas D.
President Judge

Bell, John F.
Gilmore, David L.
Terputac, Thomas J.

Wayne County
Judicial District 22

Conway, Robert J.
President Judge

Westmoreland County
Judicial District 10

Mihalich, Gilfert M.
President Judge

Westmoreland County
(cont.)
Judicial District 10

Ackerman, Daniel J.
Ambrose, Donetta W.
Blahovec, John E.
Caruso, Gary P.
Loughran, Charles H.
Marker, Charles E.
McCormick, Jr.,Richard E.*
Scherer, Bernard F.

* Appointed 6-21-90

Wyoming County
Judicial District 44

Vanston, Brendan J.
President Judge

York County
Judicial District 19

Erb, Joseph E.
President Judge

Cassimatis, Emanuel A.
Chronister, John H.
Dorney, Sheryl A.
Horn, Richard H.
Miller, John T.
Uhler, John C. *

* Commenced 01-01-90

Common Pleas Court-Senior Judges

(Served through Dec. 1990)

Allegheny County

Clarke, James F.
Doyle, Robert A.
Lewis, Loran L.
Louik, Maurice
O'Brien, John W. **
Scheib, Raymond L.
Schwartz, Nathan
Smith, Henry R.
Staisey, Leonard C. *\+
Weir, Frederic G.

* Commenced 01-01-90
** Commenced 08-01-90
+ Died 10-04-90

Beaver County

Salmon, J. Quint
Sawyer, John N.

Bedford County

Van Horn, Jr., Ellis W.

Berks County

Edenharter, Frederick
Eshelman, W. Richard
Wesner, Grant E.

Bucks County

Beckert, Paul R.
Bortner, Oscar S. *

* Commenced 01-01-90

Butler County

Kiester, George P.

Cambria County

Creany, Eugene A.
McWilliams, Jr., H. Clifton

Chester County

Stively, Jr., John E.

Crawford County

Thomas, P. Richard *
Walker, Robert L.

* Commenced 08-14-90

Dauphin County

Lipsitt, William W.

Delaware County

Catania, Francis J. *
Diggins, John V.
Reed, Jr., Howard F. **
Wright Robert A.

* Commenced 03-27-90
** Commenced 12-21-90

Elk County

Greiner, Paul B.

Erie County

Pfadt, Willliam E.

Indiana County

Handler, Earl R.

Lackawanna County

Penetar, Daniel L.

Lancaster County

Bucher, Wilson

Lebanon County

Gates, G. Thomas *

* Commenced 06-04-90

Luzerne County

Podcasy, Bernard J. *

* Commenced 08-12-20

Lycoming County

Greevy, Charles F.

Mercer County

Stranahan, John Q.

Mifflin County

Lehman, Paul S.

Montgomery County

Davenport, Horace A.
Geisz, John A.
Taxis, Jr., Alfred L.

Northampton County

Franciosa, Michael V.
Grifo, Richard D.

Philadelphia County

Anderson, Levy
Canuso, Vito F.
Carson, Jr., Curtis C. *
Cipriani, Nicholas A.
Clarke,Jr.,Eugene H. ***
Doty, Ethan A.
Geisz, John A.
Gutowicz, Theodore S. **
Ivins, George J.
Klein, Charles
Kubacki, Stanley L.
Lederer, William J.
Lord, Charles A.
Murphy, Joseph T.
O'Neill, Jerome A.
Rosenberg, Edward B.
Rosenwald, Edward
Sabo, Albert F. ****
Shoyer, Kendall H.
Silverstein, Paul
Stout, Juanita K.
Trommer, Evelyn M.
Wright, Charles

* Commenced 02-06-90
** Commenced 05-04-90
*** Commenced 07-27-90
**** Commenced 12-22-90

Schuylkill County

Dolbin, Donald D. **
Lavelle, John E. *

* Commenced 01-24-90
** Commenced 11-08-90

Somerset County

Coffroth, Charles H.
Shaulis, Norman A.

Susquehanna County

O'Malley, Donald

Venango County

Breene, William E.

Washington County

Rodgers, Samuel L.
Sweet, Charles G.

Westmoreland County

McCormick, Richard E.

Wyoming County

Gardner, Roy A.

York County

Buckingham, James E.
Kohler, Richard E.
Rauhauser, Jr., John F.

Municipal Court Judges
(As of Dec. 1990)

Silberstein, Alan K.
President Judge

Bashoff, Martin W.
Brady, William J., Jr.
Conroy, Michael J., Jr.
Coppolino, Matthew F.
Cosgrove, Francis P.
Daher, Georganne V.
DeLeon, James M.
Gilbert, Barbara S.
Kafrissen, Arthur S.
King, Jr., William A.
Kirkland, Lydia Y.
Krase, Morton
Lilian, Eric L.
Margiotti, Jr., Charles J.
McCormack, Thomas J.
Mekel, Edward G.
Merriweather, Ronald B.
Presenza, Louis J.
Retacco, Louis G.
Robbins, Harvey W.
Simmons, Jr., J. Earl

Municipal Court– Senior Judges
(As of Dec. 1990)

Blount, Lynwood F.
Rose, Meyer C.

Traffic Court Judges
(As of Dec. 1990)

Twardy, George
President Judge

Cuffeld, Charles H.
Little, Francis J. *
Podgorski, Lillian H.
Tynes, Thomasine *

* Commenced 01-01-90

Traffic Court– Senior Judges
(As of Dec. 1990)

Cox, Edward S.
Marotta, Thomas

District Justices
(As of Dec. 1990)

Adams County
Judicial District 51

Carr, Thomas R.
Deardorff, Harold R.
Frymyer, Samuel K.
Zepp, John C.

Allegheny County
Judicial District 5

Blaschak, Suzanne R.
Boehm, Leonard W.
Bowen, James H.
Boyle, Mary G.
Brletic, Thomas S. *
Burnett, Edward ****
Casasanta, Walter V.
Casper, Raymond L.
Cercone, Mary A.
Clark, Anthony F.
Comunale III, Frank
Conn, Arthur P.
Connery, Theodora N.
Cooper, Kevin E. **
DeAngelis, Guido A. *
Devlin, Mark B.
Diulus, Nicholas A.
Diven, Daniel R.
Edkins, Sally A.
Fiore, Sarge
Franci, Georgina G.
Freedman, Jr., Ralph C.
Hanley, James J.
Ivill, William J.
Joyce, Dennis R.
Kimberland, II, Russell L.
Komarormy, Jr., Paul
Kubit, Robert W.
Kurta, Andrew
Lloyd, Betty L.
Longo, Nancy L.
Mann, A. Kenneth
McCarthy, Richard K.
McGraw, Elaine M.
McLaughlin, Jr., Charles A.
Melograne, Jules C.
Morrissey, Charles M.
Olasz, Jr., Richard D.
Peglow, Lee G.
Presutti, Donald H.
Reed, Douglas W.
Russo, James E.
Sable, Robert M. ***
Sabulsky, Arthur
Scharding, Anna Marie
Secola, Rinaldo J.
Swearingen, John E.
Terrick, Richard J.
Tibbs, Edward A.
Tucker, Robert E.
Welsh, Regis C.
Williams, Jacob H.
Yarnel, Eugene B.
Zavarella, Paul D.
Zoller, Richard H.
Zyra, Gary M.

* Commenced 01-01-90
** Commenced 01-03-90
*** Appointed 03-30-90
**** Appointed 05-10-90

Armstrong County
Judicial District 33

Crytzer, Jr., Homer D.
Gerheim, Michael L. *
Goldstrohm, Samuel R.
Shaeffer, Eugene W.
Young, Jay A. **

* Appointed 07-19-90
** Appointed 10-10-90

Beaver County
Judicial District 36

Armour, John W.
Eiler, Donald L.
Iorfido, Hugo R.
Keefer, Jr., Ross M.
Kirchner, Lewis E.
Lakas, Joseph V.
Loschiavo, Peter J.
Mihalic, Stephen D.
Schulte, Martin V.

Bedford County
Judicial District 57

Bingham, Jr., H. Cyril
Guyer, Charles O.
McVicker, Erika *
Morgret, Marion L.

* Commenced 01-01-90

Berks County
Judicial District 57

Bodanza, Opal F.
Dougherty, John F.
Farrara, O. Andrew
Gaspari, Albert J.
Greth, Gail M.
Heydt, Douglas N.
Horning, Anthony F. **
Korch, James M.
Kowalski, Phyllis J.
Schock, Roland H.
Schonour, Homer B.
Scott, Wallace S. *
Stacherksi, Felix V.
Stitzel, Gloria W.
Stoudt, Carol A.
Wagonseller, Wallace W.
Walley, Susance R.
Xavios, Thomas H.

* Relieved from Service 11-23-88
** Commenced 01-01-90

Blair County
Judicial District 24

Garman, Kenneth L.
Greene, Jr., John B.
Jones, Patrick T.
Kelly, Todd F.
Klepser, Frederick L.
Moran, Joseph L.
Ormsby, Craig E.

Bradford County
Judicial District 42

Aquilio, III, Daniel J.
Ayres, Lynn E.

Bradford County (cont.)
Judicial District 42

Powell, James O.
Wood, Jr., Fordham F.

Bucks County
Judicial District 07

Basile, Joseph F.
Groman, Oliver A.
Hunsicker, J. Robert
Kelly, James M.
Kelly, Jr., John J.
Kline, Joanne V.
Leonard, Elizabeth M.
Manto, Michael J.
Marks, Catherine
McEwen, Susan E.
Nasshorn, Donald
Orazi, Anne E.
Ritter, Catherine L.
Schnell, Jr., Robert A.
Stump, Kathryn L.
Vislosky, Dorothy
Wagner, Jr., Robert L.

Butler County
Judicial District 50

Doerr, Thomas J.
Gant, Leon E.
O'Donnell, Jr., Joseph D.
Watson, Robert L.
Wise, Frank C.

Cambria County
Judicial District 47

Berkhimer, Allan C.
Brosius, Francis P.
Carnicella, Anthony A.
DeCort, Galen F.
Farra, Rick T.
Metzger, Jr., Theodore T.
Pavlovich, Max F.
Robine, Kenneth
Rozum, Julia A. *
Yesenosky, Stephen J.

* Retired 01-03-90

Cameron County
Judicial District 59

Brown, Alvin H.

Carbon County
Judicial District 56

Appleton, Bruce F.
Hadzick, Paul J.
Hudasky, Irene M.
Lewis, Edward M.

Centre County
Judicial District 49

Horner, Ronald J.
May, Robert T.
Shoff, Robert A.
Yorks, Clifford H.

Chester County
Judicial District 15

Darlington, Chester F. *
Farmer, Jr., Harry W.
Gentile, Ray L.
Jeffers, John T.
Johnson, Paul L.
Martini, Harry R.
Mull, Robert G.
Muth, Dawson R.
Pomante, Armand A.
Scott, Stanley
Welsh, Susann E.
Winther, John P.

* Commenced 01-02-90

Clarion County
Judicial District 18

Dibble, Virginia C.
George, Daniel
Hamilton, Alta L.
Heasley, Norman E.
Long, Gregory E. *

* Commenced 01-01-90

Clearfield County
Judicial District 46

Daisher, William M.
Hawkins, James L.
Read, Wesley J.
Rudella, Michael A.

Clinton County
Judicial District 25

Bossert, Thomas H.
Dwyer, Kevin R.
Frazier, John B.

Columbia County
Judicial District 26

Breech, William L.
Cashman, Richard P.
Coombe, Donna J.
Pennypacker, Delbert L.

Crawford County
Judicial District 30

Chisholm, William D.
Cole, Sr., Ronald A.
Hanson, Wayne E.
Herzberger, III, George W.
Leonhart, Robert J.
Vogan, Hubert E.

Cumberland County
Judicial District 09

Clement, Jr., Charles A.
Cohick, Esther M.
Correal, Paula P.
Daihl, Donald W.
Farner, Glenn R.
Keller, Terry L.
Klair, Ronald E.
Manlove, Robert V.

Dauphin County
Judicial District 12

Alvord, Lawrence E.

Dauphin County(cont.)
Judicial District 12

Judy, David H.
Magaro, Samuel J.
Pianka, James
Rathfon, William P.
Semic, Steven M.
Shugars, Ray F.
Solomon, Joseph S.
Stewart, Michael A.
Williams, Edward R.
Yanich, Bernard B.
Zozos, George A.

Delaware County
Judicial District 32

Ballezzi, Michael P.
Berardocco, Albert J.
Boyden, Kenneth J. D.
Brown, Jr., William L.
Burton, Robert W.
Collins, Leonard B.
Cullen, Michael G.
DiPietro, Joseph L.
Dittert, Jr., William J.
Fitzpatrick, Maureen F.
Foster, Beverly H.
Gallagher, Jr., Vincent D.
Lacey, Thomas J.
Larosa, Barbara
Lawrence, Irvin E.
Liberace, Gerald C.
Mallon, Gregory M.
Mascaro, Leon J.
McCray, Jr., C. Walter
McDevitt, Leonard M.
Miller, Kenneth N.
Monaco, Eugene G. *
Nilon, Jr., James F.
Paige, George W.
Perfetti, John J.
Shaffer, Robert M.
Silva, Henry J.
Tozer, Peter P.
Truscello, Anthony M.
Videon, David T.

Elk County
Judicial District 59

Friedl, Elizabeth J.
King, George A.

Erie County
Judicial District 06

Abate, Jr., Frank
Dwyer, III, James J.
Fabrizi, Larry R.
Fuller, Mary J.
Lefaiver, Joseph R.
Munsch, Carmelita H.
Nakoski, Jr., Peter P.
Nichols, Patsy A.
Pohl, Kathryn L.
Saxton, Jr., Robert C.
Smith, Charles F.
Stuck, Ronald E.
Vendetti, John A.
Weindorf, Arthur J.
Wise, Charles R.

Fayette County
Judicial District 14

Abraham, Randy S.
Battaglini, Oliver F.
Blair, Lawrence
Breakiron, Robert W.
Cramer, Jesse J.
DeFino, Mike J.
Dennis, Wendy D.
Hartz, Charles F.
Rubish, Michael
Shaner, Dwight K.
Shenal, Paul
Simon, Eugene J.
Vernon, Rick C.

Forest County
Judicial District 37

Carbaugh, Curtis E.
Fedora Michael L.

Franklin County
Judicial District 39

Campbell, James L.
Hawbaker, David E.
Meminger, Larry K
Ommert, John R.
Pentz, Larry G.
Stover, J. William

Fulton County
Judicial District 39

Johnson, Carol J.
Keebaugh, Betty M.
Knepper, Brenda M.

Greene County
Judicial District 13

Bertugli, Emil
Canan, Neil M.
Watson, John C.

Huntingdon County
Judicial District 20

Colyer, Michael M.
Davis, Daniel S.
Kyper, James H.
Whitsel, Theodore J.

Indiana County
Judicial District 40

Cravotta, Angelo C.
Orendorff, Richard G.
Steffee, Michael K.
Wilkins, Geraldine M.

Jefferson County
Judicial District 54

Hetrick, Bernard E.
Lester, Guy M.
Miller, George B.

* Commenced 01-01-90

Juniata County
Judicial District 41

Leister, Jacqueline T.
Lyter, Barbara M.

Lackawana County
Judicial District 45

Cadden, Eugene T.
Clark, Jr., George E.
Giglio, Theodore J.
Grunik, Ferdinand A.
Kelleher, Daniel J.
Kennedy, James P.
McAndrew, Mary A.
Mercuri, John J.
Minora, Carmen D.
Pieski, John E. V.
Polizzi, Michael S.
Russell, Robert G.
Yurgosky, Donald A.

Lancaster County
Judicial District 02

Bledsoe, Joseph W.
Bomgardner, Vicki G.
Book, Gilbert R.
Caldwell, Stella V.
Garrett, James L.
Greiner, Harold E.
Hamill, Nancy G.
Hamilton, Jr., Maynard A.
Herman, Robert A.
Horton, Murray R.
James, Doris R.
Kopp, Arden I.
Miller, John W.
Musser, Richard W.
Reeser, Richard L.
Reuter, William G.
Schmuckle, Earle M.
Sheetz, Richard A.
Stoner, Marilyn E.
Williams, Louise B.

Lawrence County
Judicial District 53

Battaglia, Samuel A.
Crawford, Jr., Ernest M.
Lamb, J. V.
Reed, James A.
Rishel, David B.

Lebanon County
Judicial District 52

Arnold, John F.
Lehman, Lee R.
Pietsch, Lucy A.
Schadler, William E.
Shultz, Jo Ann
Smith, Betty Ann
Swisher, Hazel V. *

* Appointed 10-17-90

Lehigh County
Judicial District 31

Crawford, Charles H.
Dugan, John E.
Fedak, Laurel G. *
Harding, David B.
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Judicial District 11

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Judicial District 29

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Judicial District 38

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Judicial District 41

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Pike County
Judicial District 60

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Potter County
Judicial District 55

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Garrote, Katherine G.

Schuylkill County
Judicial District 21

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Snyder County
Judicial District 17

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Savidge, Willis E.

Somerset County
Judicial District 16

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Cannoni, Joseph A.
Cornish, Frances L.
Philson, Robert M.
Roush, William H.

Sullivan County
Judicial District 44

Baumunk, Linda M.
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Susquehanna County
Judicial District 34

Dayton, Watson J.
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Tioga County
Judicial District 04

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Judicial County 17

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Judicial District 28

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Eckels, Roger F. ***
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Franzi, Lawrence J.
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Guido, William S.
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** Died 02-08-90
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Judicial District 44

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York County
Judicial District 19

Diehl, Jr., Paul M.
Dixon, Harold C.
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Lam, Roy L.
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** Died 05-21-90

Beaver County

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Berks County

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* Commenced 01-01-90

Bradford County

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Bucks County

Ritter, Chris G.
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Butler County

Gelbreath, James A.
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Cambria County

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* Commenced 01-04-90

Carbon County

Moisey, Andrew *

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Chester County

Brown, Donald C. *

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Clarion County

Corsini, John *

* Commenced 01-01-90

Cumberland County

Lyons, Meade G. *

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Dauphin County

Cross, Mary E. *

* Commenced 01-01-90

Delaware County

Anderson, Garland W. *
Melone, Carl J.
Nesbitt, Jr., Clarence B. *
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* Commenced 01-01-90

Erie County

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Jefferson County

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Lackawanna County

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Commenced 05-04-90

Lancaster County

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* Commenced 01-01-90

Lawrence County

French, Ruth E. *

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Lehigh County

Beck, Ralph H.

Luzerne County

Harvey, Leonard

Montgomery County

Maynard, Jr., Albert T. *
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Northampton County

Auch, Jr., Walter F. *

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Venango County

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Wayne County

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York County

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THE APPELLATE COURTS

SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

	Eastern District	Middle District	Western District	Total
Direct Appeals Filed	59	72	94	225
Allocatur Petitions Filed	1,119	293	712	2,124
Allocatur Petitions Granted	90	69	87	246
Cases Argued	135	40	70	245
Cases Submitted on Briefs	13	2	16	31
Cases Decided by Opinion	114	30	65	209
Miscellaneous Petitions	831	254	436	1,521

SUPERIOR COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

APPEALS PENDING 1/1/90		*4,266*
Awaiting Record	1,438	
Awaiting Briefs	1,070	
Awaiting Argument or Submission	777	
Awaiting Decision	939	
Other (including awaiting appointment of counsel)	42	
NEW APPEALS FILED IN 1990		*6,291*
APPEALS DISPOSED IN 1990		*6,079*
By Filed Decision	4,193	
By Order, Discontinuance, or Other Means	1,886	
APPEALS PENDING 12/31/90		*4,478*
Awaiting Record	1,618	
Awaiting Briefs	1,147	
Awaiting Argument or Submission	711	
Awaiting Decision	943	
Other (including awaiting appointment of counsel)	59	

COMMONWEALTH COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

CASES PENDING 1/1/90		*4,216*
CASES FILED IN 1990		*3,527*
Original Jurisdiction	317	
Appeals from Courts of Common Pleas	1,120	
Appeals from Administrative Agencies	1,577	
Appeals under Fiscal Code	469	
Combined Original/Appellate Matters	8	
Miscellaneous	36	
CASES DISPOSED IN 1990		*3,519*
Majority Opinions	1,447	
Consolidated Cases	117	
Stipulation for Judgement	507	
Withdrawn/Dismissed/Remanded	1,225	
Transferred	59	
Other	164	
CASES PENDING 12/31/90		*4,224*

Excludes certain miscellaneous cases.

COMMON PLEAS CRIMINAL CASELOAD

STATE TOTALS

	STATEWIDE *	EXCLUDING PHILADELPHIA
CASES PENDING, 1/1/90	54,271(R)	43,715(R)
NEW CASES RECEIVED	124,457	108,133
CASES REOPENED	15,242	9,748
SUBTOTAL: CASES AVAILABLE	193,970	161,596
DISPOSED BY:		
DISMISSAL, NOL PROS, ETC.	10,130	7,872
RULE 1100	46	45
A.R.D.	30,094	28,726
GUILTY PLEA	70,551	58,000
NON-JURY TRIAL	5,664	2,049
JURY TRIAL	3,371	2,799
INACTIVE CASES	17,177	10,506
OTHER DISPOSED	3,092	3,065
SUBTOTAL: CASES DISPOSED	140,125	113,062
CASES PENDING, 12/31/90	55,536	48,534
AGE OF PENDING CASES		
0-60 DAYS	18,020	15,405
61-120 DAYS	14,628	13,281
121-180 DAYS	8,260	7,409
181-240 DAYS	5,053	4,508
241-300 DAYS	3,071	2,605
301-360 DAYS	1,526	1,244
OVER 240 DAYS	4,978	4,082
CASES AWAITING SENTENCE	9,249	7,292

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* See note on page 12.

COMMON PLEAS CRIMINAL CASELOAD

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	NEW CASES RECEIVED	CASES REOPENED	CASES AVAILABLE	CASES DISPOSED	END PENDING	CASES AWAITING SENTENCE	DISPOSED BY: WITHDRAWN/ DISMISSED
ADAMS	193	769	36	998	754	244	18	41
ALLEGHENY *	7,758	17,000	3,242	28,000	19,102	8,898	906	1,778
ARMSTRONG	150	496	13	659	443	216	87	47
BEAVER	627	2,204	120	2,951	2,189	762	226	231
BEDFORD	145	402	3	550	395	155	111	45
BERKS	1,515	3,480	516	5,511	4,101	1,410	176	264
BLAIR	472	1,495	0	1,967	1,291	676	53	63
BRADFORD	236	405	20	661	445	216	34	81
BUCKS	1,904	7,267	1,071	10,242	8,562	1,680	882	143
BUTLER	439	1,393	94	1,926	1,405	521	283	76
CAMBRIA	508	1,287	93	1,888	1,474	414	91	145
CAMERON-ELK	96	435	1	532	412	120	9	28
CARBON	172	528	6	706	515	191	27	79
CENTRE	483	1,565	17	2,065	1,670	395	275	86
CHESTER	1,221	4,087	609	5,917	4,487	1,430	34	228
CLARION	109	343	5	457	369	88	10	16
CLEARFIELD	153	663	106	922	783	139	120	11
CLINTON	133	412	2	547	419	128	36	21
COLUMBIA-MONTOUR	279	472	15	766	542	224	76	65
CRAWFORD	221	902	22	1,145	849	296	79	77
CUMBERLAND	889	2,130	120	3,139	2,200	939	148	145
DAUPHIN	1,344	3,490	92	4,926	3,077	1,849	158	208
DELAWARE	2,773(R)	5,189	248	8,210	5,792	2,418	185	278
ERIE	1,084	2,640	154	3,878	2,585	1,293	139	178
FAYETTE	759	1,384	17	2,160	1,133	1,027	56	89
FOREST-WARREN	170(R)	594	64	828	607	221	11	42
FRANKLIN-FULTON	405	1,444	91	1,940	1,191	749	74	91
GREENE	103	343	6	452	330	122	10	31
HUNTINGDON	84	287	0	371	261	110	48	49
INDIANA	200	677	60	937	681	256	26	62

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* A portion of the cases classified as "OTHER" dispositions were disposed by pleas, trials, etc., but a breakdown is unavailable.

RULE 1100	A.R.D.	GUILTY PLEA	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	INACTIVE CASES	OTHER	AGE OF PENDING CASES 0-60 DAYS	61-120 DAYS	121-180 DAYS	181-240 DAYS	241-300 DAYS	301-360 DAYS	OVER 360 DAYS
0	264	366	6	19	43	15	111	73	40	4	2	0	14
0	3,619	8,592	976	360	1,827	1,950	2,596	2,103	1,345	1,102	564	331	857
1	181	171	1	8	14	20	85	45	16	6	24	5	35
0	818	998	4	19	119	0	307	197	103	43	45	18	49
0	107	190	1	13	23	16	61	59	15	5	3	6	6
5	968	2,036	9	162	604	53	508	387	156	38	30	21	270
0	167	933	13	46	49	20	245	176	129	72	54	0	0
4	103	241	1	12	2	1	45	70	40	28	7	6	20
3	1,880	4,638	108	118	1,643	29	1,020	616	26	7	7	4	0
1	531	717	8	29	43	0	120	187	131	44	7	12	20
1	339	709	23	22	224	11	248	69	35	17	12	12	21
0	149	212	5	14	0	4	52	45	7	6	4	0	6
0	151	256	2	10	11	6	108	62	10	6	2	1	2
0	684	824	9	45	20	2	242	98	18	21	4	10	2
1	1,048	2,351	34	53	479	293	569	418	315	60	0	0	68
0	171	136	2	12	9	23	37	33	6	6	5	1	0
2	169	541	2	35	10	13	73	36	20	4	3	2	1
0	158	221	1	10	5	3	59	17	13	11	8	0	20
0	128	303	0	14	11	21	71	50	41	26	15	11	10
0	117	549	40	32	14	20	122	127	24	13	2	3	5
0	642	1,109	7	70	221	6	202	251	283	110	49	6	38
0	440	2,150	39	112	123	5	523	598	278	159	181	58	52
2	1,248	3,100	279	133	749	3	500	527	353	195	0	0	843
0	802	1,304	11	156	127	7	370	381	258	140	61	25	58
0	269	663	1	104	0	7	269	241	178	136	102	68	33
2	212	308	1	15	6	21	75	78	27	12	14	5	10
0	414	509	9	29	125	14	136	176	142	135	89	32	39
0	72	190	0	26	5	6	71	38	8	3	1	1	0
1	34	158	3	6	9	1	40	30	8	11	11	2	8
0	275	241	19	13	47	24	174	58	19	1	1	1	2

COMMON PLEAS CRIMINAL CASELOAD

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	NEW CASES RECEIVED	CASES REOPENED	CASES AVAILABLE	CASES DISPOSED	END PENDING	CASES AWAITING SENTENCE	DISPOSED BY: WITHDRAWN/ DISMISSED
JEFFERSON	123	381	5	509	380	129	6	22
JUNIATA-PERRY	116	545	4	665	522	143	55	20
LACKAWANNA	1,048(R)	1,736	0	2,784	1,447	1,337	309	213
LANCASTER	1,595	3,458	0	5,053	3,349	1,704	15	198
LAWRENCE	353	1,142	239	1,734	1,357	377	178	52
LEBANON	340	981	16	1,337	981	356	149	33
LEHIGH	1,697	3,719	101	5,517	3,564	1,953	195	152
LUZERNE	1,667(R)	2,727	1	4,395	2,490	1,905	38	148
LYCOMING	530	1,544	78	2,152	1,532	620	205	45
MCKEAN	158	510	34	702	502	200	22	65
MERCER	384	1,079	44	1,507	1,112	395	278	129
MIFFLIN	154	442	8	604	456	148	27	27
MONROE	193	638	109	940	717	223	97	201
MONTGOMERY	3,304	7,459	901	11,664	8,529	3,135	320	379
NORTHAMPTON	1,292	2,740	399	4,431	3,204	1,227	132	260
NORTHUMBERLAND	641	1,065	20	1,726	964	762	371	55
PHILADELPHIA *	10,556	16,324	5,494	32,374	27,063	7,002	1,957	2,258
PIKE	60	221	5	286	216	70	16	41
POTTER	44	235	11	290	206	84	14	21
SCHUYLKILL	638	1,553	0	2,191	1,448	743	74	226
SNYDER-UNION	128	535	14	677	495	182	71	15
SOMERSET	291	685	0	976	656	320	3	62
SULLIVAN-WYOMING	224	372	11	607	336	271	16	45
SUSQUEHANNA	234(R)	243	0	477	308	169	13	29
TIOGA	195	505	22	722	576	146	25	78
VENANGO	192	540	19	751	581	170	23	40
WASHINGTON	694	1,882	58	2,634	1,809	825	32	166
WAYNE	73	308	39	420	277	143	3	25
WESTMORELAND	1,297	3,513	195	5,005	3,222	1,783	61	170
YORK	1,425(R)	3,592	572	5,589	3,762	1,827	156	257

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* Pending figures do not balance due to the treatment of inactive cases and the reporting of some dispositions at the time of sentencing.

RULE 1100	A.R.D.	GUILTY PLEA	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	INACTIVE CASES	OTHER	AGE OF PENDING CASES 0-60 DAYS	61-120 DAYS	121-180 DAYS	181-240 DAYS	241-300 DAYS	301-360 DAYS	OVER 360 DAYS
0	190	142	0	12	8	6	48	40	22	6	5	4	4
0	173	286	8	25	0	10	66	49	17	4	2	2	3
2	505	657	2	67	0	1	258	310	134	95	62	52	426
0	793	1,987	15	36	313	7	511	479	257	196	156	83	22
1	404	605	1	60	196	38	169	94	45	28	16	0	25
0	247	570	3	57	71	0	122	135	37	16	5	12	29
1	1,003	1,984	5	49	341	29	529	619	435	172	76	44	78
3	874	1,329	39	51	30	16	393	416	400	396	300	0	0
0	315	989	8	77	81	17	256	233	82	28	11	7	3
4	128	245	5	7	24	24	82	73	15	9	4	4	13
2	272	578	7	82	38	4	153	154	75	10	3	0	0
0	130	251	5	13	23	7	61	74	5	4	0	2	2
0	132	262	31	35	56	0	51	47	44	37	16	20	8
2	1,975	4,252	143	89	1,689	0	881	1,191	489	223	105	68	178
0	917	1,362	32	40	495	98	340	316	177	68	77	57	192
0	153	678	7	22	43	6	168	163	105	90	60	33	143
1	1,368	12,551	3,615	572	6,671	27	2,615	1,347	851	545	466	282	896
0	43	120	1	9	2	0	28	39	0	1	0	2	0
0	47	110	4	12	8	4	45	30	6	3	0	0	0
0	451	662	7	33	65	4	227	211	134	47	39	30	55
1	76	330	3	11	12	47	86	63	20	5	8	0	0
0	210	294	2	21	48	19	88	72	44	24	32	19	41
1	95	166	3	11	12	3	67	53	30	21	9	10	81
0	9	157	0	11	100	2	29	36	30	16	25	13	20
0	233	231	0	6	15	13	56	35	19	9	13	8	6
0	175	288	5	52	12	9	71	60	28	4	1	3	3
2	680	853	9	17	76	6	286	223	119	79	48	19	51
0	86	135	0	8	14	9	43	78	20	0	1	1	0
0	1,292	1,522	77	68	39	54	610	322	314	300	102	43	92
3	958	2,239	13	121	133	38	642	420	262	196	122	67	118

COMMON PLEAS CIVIL CASELOAD

STATE TOTALS

	STATEWIDE				EXCLUDING PHILADELPHIA			
	CIVIL ACTIONS	EQUITY			CIVIL ACTIONS	EQUITY		
CASES DOCKETED	119,956	4,183			77,296	3,410		
ARBITRATED CASES	17,352				10,712			
TRIAL-READY CASES	CIVIL ACTIONS	EQUITY	OTHER	TOTAL	CIVIL ACTIONS	EQUITY	OTHER	TOTAL
CASES PENDING, 1/1/90	55,973(R)	1,677(R)	3,101	60,751(R)	11,969(R)	705(R)	2,103	14,777(R)
NEW CASES FILED	29,300	1,583	2,816	33,699	11,864	810	2,417	15,091
RESTORED CASES	408	26	30	464	408	26	30	464
ARBITRATION APPEALS	4,283	0	479	4,762	1,990	0	479	2,469
SUBTOTAL: CASES AVAILABLE	89,964	3,286	6,426	99,676	26,231	1,541	5,029	32,801
CASES DISPOSED BY:								
JURY TRIAL	1,416	10	91	1,517	1,082	7	84	1,173
NON-JURY TRIAL	1,532	279	726	2,537	1,130	254	699	2,083
SETTLEMENTS	22,273	791	1,418	24,482	7,937	381	1,102	9,420
STRICKEN	4,819	422	379	5,620	928	53	104	1,085
OTHER	2,736	189	490	3,415	2,358	187	483	3,028
SUBTOTAL: CASES DISPOSED	32,776	1,691	3,104	37,571	13,435	882	2,472	16,789
CASES PENDING, 12/31/90	57,188	1,595	3,322	62,105	12,796	659	2,557	16,012

AGE OF PENDING TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90
(CIVIL ACTIONS & EQUITY CASES ONLY)

0-6 MONTHS	12,259	20.85 %	0-6 MONTHS	6,588	48.96 %
7-12 MONTHS	9,855	16.77 %	7-12 MONTHS	2,702	20.08 %
13-18 MONTHS	7,374	12.54 %	13-18 MONTHS	1,966	14.61 %
19-24 MONTHS	5,852	9.96 %	19-24 MONTHS	775	5.76 %
25-30 MONTHS	4,432	7.54 %	25-30 MONTHS	365	2.71 %
31-36 MONTHS	3,833	6.52 %	31-36 MONTHS	325	2.42 %
OVER 36 MONTHS	15,178	25.82 %	OVER 36 MONTHS	734	5.46 %
SUBTOTAL	58,783	100.00 %	SUBTOTAL	13,455	100.00 %

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ADAMS

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	360	21	58	55	3	0	116	57
EQUITY	28		15	7	0	0	22	9
OTHER			20	10	0	1	31	9
TOTAL			93	72	3	1	169	75

ALLEGHENY

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES *	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	17,000	4,711	5,055	2,391	0	1,014	8,460	3,176
EQUITY	388		86	101	0	0	187	74
OTHER			1,325	970	0	429	2,724	928
TOTAL			6,466	3,462	0	1,443	11,371	4,178

* "New Cases" include cases restored to trial list.

ARMSTRONG

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	192	23	63	25	4	2	94	60
EQUITY	16		9	3	1	0	13	8
OTHER			37	14	1	1	53	25
TOTAL			109	42	6	3	160	93

BEAVER

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	539	79	43	123	1	5	172	94
EQUITY	52		15	15	0	0	30	17
OTHER			45	49	0	4	98	58
TOTAL			103	187	1	9	300	169

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
30	6	8	1	12	59
0	5	0	0	4	13
3	1	3	2	0	22
33	12	11	3	16	94

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	31	43.1%
7-12 MONTHS	16	22.2%
13-18 MONTHS	11	15.3%
19-24 MONTHS	2	2.8%
25-30 MONTHS	4	5.6%
31-36 MONTHS	6	8.3%
OVER 36 MONTHS	2	2.8%
TOTAL	72	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER **	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
1,980	346	230	11	609	5,284
35	1	2	0	36	113
547	209	28	2	142	1,796
2,562	556	260	13	787	7,193

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	2,445	45.3%
7-12 MONTHS	953	17.7%
13-18 MONTHS	1,157	21.4%
19-24 MONTHS	230	4.3%
25-30 MONTHS	169	3.1%
31-36 MONTHS	194	3.6%
OVER 36 MONTHS	249	4.6%
TOTAL	5,397	100.0%

** A portion of the cases classified as "OTHER" dispositions were disposed by settlements, trials, etc., but a breakdown is unavailable.

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
27	8	6	0	19	34
1	2	0	0	5	5
6	9	2	0	8	28
34	19	8	0	32	67

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	13	33.3%
7-12 MONTHS	8	20.5%
13-18 MONTHS	6	15.4%
19-24 MONTHS	2	5.1%
25-30 MONTHS	5	12.8%
31-36 MONTHS	3	7.7%
OVER 36 MONTHS	2	5.1%
TOTAL	39	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
64	8	6	12	4	78
5	5	0	6	1	13
23	14	4	14	3	40
92	27	10	32	8	131

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	73	80.2%
7-12 MONTHS	9	9.9%
13-18 MONTHS	4	4.4%
19-24 MONTHS	2	2.2%
25-30 MONTHS	2	2.2%
31-36 MONTHS	1	1.1%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	91	100.0%

BEDFORD

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	91	7	28	29	0	0	57	19
EQUITY	8		1	5	0	0	6	1
OTHER			3	2	0	0	5	0
TOTAL			32	36	0	0	68	20

BERKS

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	1,967	151	144	176	5	26	351	197
EQUITY	136		11	30	0	0	41	22
OTHER			63	203	1	2	269	204
TOTAL			218	409	6	28	661	423

BLAIR

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	429	52	80	102	4	0	186	107
EQUITY	58		9	6	1	0	16	9
OTHER			11	12	1	5	29	14
TOTAL			100	120	6	5	231	130

BRADFORD

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	452	31	46	45	4	4	99	49
EQUITY	24		5	4	0	0	9	3
OTHER			6	4	0	0	10	1
TOTAL			57	53	4	4	118	53

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
10	1	0	0	8	38
0	0	0	0	1	5
0	0	0	0	0	5
10	1	0	0	9	48

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	12	27.9%
7-12 MONTHS	18	41.9%
13-18 MONTHS	7	16.3%
19-24 MONTHS	4	9.3%
25-30 MONTHS	1	2.3%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	1	2.3%
TOTAL	43	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
115	10	12	20	40	154
11	1	0	0	10	19
127	8	7	0	62	65
253	19	19	20	112	238

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	95	54.9%
7-12 MONTHS	51	29.5%
13-18 MONTHS	10	5.8%
19-24 MONTHS	5	2.9%
25-30 MONTHS	2	1.2%
31-36 MONTHS	3	1.7%
OVER 36 MONTHS	7	4.0%
TOTAL	173	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
78	4	8	8	9	79
8	1	0	0	0	7
8	1	2	1	2	15
94	6	10	9	11	101

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	47	54.7%
7-12 MONTHS	17	19.8%
13-18 MONTHS	11	12.8%
19-24 MONTHS	2	2.3%
25-30 MONTHS	3	3.5%
31-36 MONTHS	2	2.3%
OVER 36 MONTHS	4	4.7%
TOTAL	86	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
27	1	5	8	8	50
2	0	0	0	1	6
0	0	0	0	1	9
29	1	5	8	10	65

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	16	28.6%
7-12 MONTHS	16	28.6%
13-18 MONTHS	4	7.1%
19-24 MONTHS	3	5.4%
25-30 MONTHS	4	7.1%
31-36 MONTHS	1	1.8%
OVER 36 MONTHS	12	21.4%
TOTAL	56	100.0%

BUCKS

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	7,931	604	150	628	27	156	961	739
EQUITY	248		19	54	0	0	73	63
OTHER			82	279	3	0	364	271
TOTAL			251	961	30	156	1,398	1,073

BUTLER

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	1,059	124	155	165	0	23	343	161
EQUITY	42		29	25	0	0	54	25
OTHER			47	23	0	0	70	42
TOTAL			231	213	0	23	467	228

CAMBRIA

TRIAL-READY CASES: *

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	582	36	116	104	22	5	247	144
EQUITY	28		10	5	3	0	18	15
OTHER			16	9	9	0	34	32
TOTAL			142	118	34	5	299	191

* Excludes asbestos/silica cases.

CAMERON-ELK

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	157	15	31	31	0	1	63	40
EQUITY	15		4	2	0	0	6	2
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			35	33	0	1	69	42

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
397	79	59	195	9	222
25	25	0	12	1	10
36	133	0	20	82	93
458	237	59	227	92	325

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	229	98.7%
7-12 MONTHS	3	1.3%
13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	232	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
85	7	27	0	42	182
12	10	0	0	3	29
0	24	0	0	18	28
97	41	27	0	63	239

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	89	42.2%
7-12 MONTHS	75	35.5%
13-18 MONTHS	24	11.4%
19-24 MONTHS	11	5.2%
25-30 MONTHS	4	1.9%
31-36 MONTHS	5	2.4%
OVER 36 MONTHS	3	1.4%
TOTAL	211	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
74	15	19	13	23	103
3	7	0	2	3	3
9	3	0	4	16	2
86	25	19	19	42	108

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	67	63.2%
7-12 MONTHS	0	0.0%
13-18 MONTHS	39	36.8%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	106	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
25	7	4	2	2	23
1	1	0	0	0	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
26	8	4	2	2	27

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	10	37.0%
7-12 MONTHS	6	22.2%
13-18 MONTHS	4	14.8%
19-24 MONTHS	1	3.7%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	6	22.2%
TOTAL	27	100.0%

CARBON

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	351	31	24	40	6	3	73	45
EQUITY	43		10	11	0	0	21	14
OTHER			7	4	0	1	12	10
TOTAL			41	55	6	4	106	69

CENTRE

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	450	61	74	113	4	16	207	121
EQUITY	27		12	9	0	0	21	9
OTHER			1	0	0	0	1	1
TOTAL			87	122	4	16	229	131

CHESTER

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	2,743	366	151	302	2	31	486	308
EQUITY	117		16	16	1	0	33	24
OTHER			3	7	0	1	11	10
TOTAL			170	325	3	32	530	342

CLARION

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	210	8	11	23	0	0	34	16
EQUITY	7		0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			11	23	0	0	34	16

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
20	5	5	2	13	28
11	2	0	0	1	7
7	3	0	0	0	2
38	10	5	2	14	37

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	29	82.9%
7-12 MONTHS	3	8.6%
13-18 MONTHS	2	5.7%
19-24 MONTHS	1	2.9%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	35	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
70	20	4	10	17	86
4	1	0	3	1	12
1	0	0	0	0	0
75	21	4	13	18	98

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	70	71.4%
7-12 MONTHS	15	15.3%
13-18 MONTHS	4	4.1%
19-24 MONTHS	3	3.1%
25-30 MONTHS	2	2.0%
31-36 MONTHS	2	2.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	2	2.0%
TOTAL	98	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
202	48	30	12	16	178
8	11	2	2	1	9
7	3	0	0	0	1
217	62	32	14	17	188

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	150	80.2%
7-12 MONTHS	13	7.0%
13-18 MONTHS	12	6.4%
19-24 MONTHS	4	2.1%
25-30 MONTHS	6	3.2%
31-36 MONTHS	1	.5%
OVER 36 MONTHS	1	.5%
TOTAL	187	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
11	1	0	2	2	18
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
11	1	0	2	2	18

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	15	83.3%
7-12 MONTHS	2	11.1%
13-18 MONTHS	1	5.6%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	18	100.0%

CLEARFIELD

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	404	27	24	62	3	4	93	60
EQUITY	23		2	4	0	0	6	4
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			26	66	3	4	99	64

CLINTON

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	256	6	39	25	0	0	64	13
EQUITY	21		8	2	0	0	10	3
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			47	27	0	0	74	16

COLUMBIA-MONTOUR

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	379	34	34	40	0	7	81	52
EQUITY	5		3	1	0	0	4	3
OTHER			3	14	2	0	19	16
TOTAL			40	55	2	7	104	71

CRAWFORD

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	305	18	18	63	0	0	81	60
EQUITY	21		6	6	0	0	12	5
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			24	69	0	0	93	65

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
33	10	8	6	3	33
3	0	0	1	0	2
0	0	0	0	0	0
36	10	8	7	3	35

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	24	68.6%
7-12 MONTHS	5	14.3%
13-18 MONTHS	2	5.7%
19-24 MONTHS	1	2.9%
25-30 MONTHS	2	5.7%
31-36 MONTHS	1	2.9%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	35	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
4	0	0	2	7	51
1	1	0	0	1	7
0	0	0	0	0	0
5	1	0	2	8	58

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	18	31.0%
7-12 MONTHS	7	12.1%
13-18 MONTHS	18	31.0%
19-24 MONTHS	4	6.9%
25-30 MONTHS	3	5.2%
31-36 MONTHS	3	5.2%
OVER 36 MONTHS	5	8.6%
TOTAL	58	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
30	13	4	1	4	29
1	2	0	0	0	1
10	3	0	2	1	3
41	18	4	3	5	33

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	19	63.3%
7-12 MONTHS	6	20.0%
13-18 MONTHS	5	16.7%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	30	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
38	10	4	4	4	21
2	3	0	0	0	7
0	0	0	0	0	0
40	13	4	4	4	28

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	14	50.0%
7-12 MONTHS	5	17.9%
13-18 MONTHS	3	10.7%
19-24 MONTHS	1	3.6%
25-30 MONTHS	1	3.6%
31-36 MONTHS	4	14.3%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	28	100.0%

CUMBERLAND

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	TRIAL-READY CASES: NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	1,193	85	97	254	26	0	377	242
EQUITY	73		6	15	0	0	21	18
OTHER			4	20	0	0	24	18
TOTAL			107	289	26	0	422	278

DAUPHIN

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	TRIAL-READY CASES: NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	2,064	154	69	229	77	11	386	318
EQUITY	95		11	38	0	0	49	37
OTHER			32	150	0	0	182	151
TOTAL			112	417	77	11	617	506

DELAWARE

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	TRIAL-READY CASES: NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	5,159	622	1,863(R)	2,050	0	147	4,060	2,118
EQUITY	178		115	108	0	0	223	109
OTHER			71	118	0	0	189	113
TOTAL			2,049(R)	2,276	0	147	4,472	2,340

ERIE

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	TRIAL-READY CASES: NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	1,296	164	31	137	2	1	171	135
EQUITY	83		3	6	0	0	9	5
OTHER			1	3	0	0	4	3
TOTAL			35	146	2	1	184	143

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DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
128	31	33	32	18	135
2	14	0	0	2	3
16	2	0	0	0	6
146	47	33	32	20	144

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	93	67.4%
7-12 MONTHS	28	20.3%
13-18 MONTHS	9	6.5%
19-24 MONTHS	7	5.1%
25-30 MONTHS	1	.7%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	138	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
120	19	40	123	16	68
8	21	0	4	4	12
17	76	10	14	34	31
145	116	50	141	54	111

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	71	88.8%
7-12 MONTHS	5	6.3%
13-18 MONTHS	2	2.5%
19-24 MONTHS	2	2.5%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	80	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
1,102	50	74	0	892	1,942
41	10	0	0	58	114
56	6	0	0	51	76
1,199	66	74	0	1,001	2,132

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	790	38.4%
7-12 MONTHS	484	23.5%
13-18 MONTHS	192	9.3%
19-24 MONTHS	236	11.5%
25-30 MONTHS	36	1.8%
31-36 MONTHS	41	2.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	277	13.5%
TOTAL	2,056	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
88	12	18	4	13	36
2	3	0	0	0	4
1	1	1	0	0	1
91	16	19	4	13	41

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	33	82.5%
7-12 MONTHS	7	17.5%
13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	40	100.0%

FAYETTE

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	764	84	116	91	0	5	212	78
EQUITY	42		10	5	0	0	15	2
OTHER			10	0	0	0	10	2
TOTAL			136	96	0	5	237	82

FOREST-WARREN

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	141	8	5	16	3	1	25	19
EQUITY	12		0	2	1	0	3	3
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			5	18	4	1	28	22

FRANKLIN-FULTON

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	385	26	33	74	0	2	109	52
EQUITY	22		9	6	0	0	15	8
OTHER			0	1	0	0	1	1
TOTAL			42	81	0	2	125	61

GREENE

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	168	9	27	19	16	2	64	55
EQUITY	11		6	2	0	0	8	6
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			33	21	16	2	72	61

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
65	0	11	0	2	134
1	1	0	0	0	13
2	0	0	0	0	8
68	1	11	0	2	155

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	42	28.6%
7-12 MONTHS	28	19.0%
13-18 MONTHS	18	12.2%
19-24 MONTHS	16	10.9%
25-30 MONTHS	14	9.5%
31-36 MONTHS	8	5.4%
OVER 36 MONTHS	21	14.3%
TOTAL	147	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
13	1	1	2	2	6
1	1	0	0	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
14	2	1	2	3	6

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	6	100.0%
7-12 MONTHS	0	0.0%
13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	6	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
37	0	1	4	10	57
7	1	0	0	0	7
0	0	0	0	1	0
44	1	1	4	11	64

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	23	35.9%
7-12 MONTHS	18	28.1%
13-18 MONTHS	6	9.4%
19-24 MONTHS	5	7.8%
25-30 MONTHS	5	7.8%
31-36 MONTHS	3	4.7%
OVER 36 MONTHS	4	6.3%
TOTAL	64	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
38	0	7	6	4	9
3	3	0	0	0	2
0	0	0	0	0	0
41	3	7	6	4	11

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	7	63.6%
7-12 MONTHS	3	27.3%
13-18 MONTHS	1	9.1%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	11	100.0%

HUNTINGDON

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	173	5	27	23	0	1	51	29
EQUITY	14		1	3	0	0	4	0
OTHER			3	0	0	0	3	2
TOTAL			31	26	0	1	58	31

INDIANA

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	344	31	25(R)	71	2	1	99	67
EQUITY	24		6(R)	2	0	0	8	6
OTHER			5	10	0	0	15	14
TOTAL			36	83	2	1	122	87

JEFFERSON

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	158	22	20	31	0	2	53	26
EQUITY	12		2	3	0	0	5	1
OTHER			2	7	0	0	9	4
TOTAL			24	41	0	2	67	31

JUNIATA-PERRY

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	429	15	30	35	0	1	66	37
EQUITY	17		5	5	0	0	10	6
OTHER			1	1	0	0	2	2
TOTAL			36	41	0	1	78	45

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DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)		
12	0	5	9	3	22	0-6 MONTHS	13	50.0%
0	0	0	0	0	4	7-12 MONTHS	6	23.1%
0	0	0	1	1	1	13-18 MONTHS	1	3.8%
						19-24 MONTHS	2	7.7%
12	0	5	10	4	27	25-30 MONTHS	1	3.8%
						31-36 MONTHS	1	3.8%
						OVER 36 MONTHS	2	7.7%
						TOTAL	26	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)		
38	16	6	2	5	32	0-6 MONTHS	24	70.6%
4	2	0	0	0	2	7-12 MONTHS	5	14.7%
9	4	1	0	0	1	13-18 MONTHS	3	8.8%
						19-24 MONTHS	2	5.9%
51	22	7	2	5	35	25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						TOTAL	34	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)		
12	4	2	8	0	27	0-6 MONTHS	13	41.9%
0	0	0	1	0	4	7-12 MONTHS	12	38.7%
3	1	0	0	0	5	13-18 MONTHS	4	12.9%
						19-24 MONTHS	1	3.2%
15	5	2	9	0	36	25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						OVER 36 MONTHS	1	3.2%
						TOTAL	31	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)		
22	2	4	1	8	29	0-6 MONTHS	18	54.5%
5	0	0	0	1	4	7-12 MONTHS	8	24.2%
1	0	0	0	1	0	13-18 MONTHS	2	6.1%
						19-24 MONTHS	2	6.1%
28	2	4	1	10	33	25-30 MONTHS	1	3.0%
						31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						OVER 36 MONTHS	2	6.1%
						TOTAL	33	100.0%

LACKAWANNA

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	2,024	107	207	355	24	18	604	408
EQUITY	130		7	24	1	0	32	19
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			214	379	25	18	636	427

LANCASTER

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	1,823	224	76	149	0	0	225	147
EQUITY	61		3	1	0	0	4	4
OTHER			13	3	0	25	41	22
TOTAL			92	153	0	25	270	173

LAWRENCE

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	526	48	42	97	9	11	159	107
EQUITY	30		9	5	4	0	18	10
OTHER			7	13	2	0	22	16
TOTAL			58	115	15	11	199	133

LEBANON

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	303	46	33	62	1	8	104	60
EQUITY	25		6	3	0	0	9	7
OTHER			1	1	0	0	2	1
TOTAL			40	66	1	8	115	68

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
288	31	37	25	27	196
10	8	0	1	0	13
0	0	0	0	0	0
298	39	37	26	27	209

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	194	92.8%
7-12 MONTHS	15	7.2%
13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	209	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
86	7	18	11	25	78
1	0	1	0	2	0
5	2	8	3	4	19
92	9	27	14	31	97

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	56	71.8%
7-12 MONTHS	10	12.8%
13-18 MONTHS	12	15.4%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	78	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
67	1	18	14	7	52
3	2	0	1	4	8
9	2	1	3	1	6
79	5	19	18	12	66

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	43	71.7%
7-12 MONTHS	11	18.3%
13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
19-24 MONTHS	4	6.7%
25-30 MONTHS	2	3.3%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	60	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
27	14	4	6	9	44
0	4	0	1	2	2
0	1	0	0	0	1
27	19	4	7	11	47

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	30	65.2%
7-12 MONTHS	10	21.7%
13-18 MONTHS	5	10.9%
19-24 MONTHS	1	2.2%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	46	100.0%

LEHIGH

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	2,518	330	579	513	34	52	1,178	447
EQUITY	134		12	47	9	0	68	33
OTHER			8	54	3	0	65	26
TOTAL			599	614	46	52	1,311	506

LUZERNE

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	2,496	222	411	339	10	30	790	281
EQUITY	204		27	32	3	0	62	49
OTHER			29	14	1	0	44	26
TOTAL			467	385	14	30	896	356

LYCOMING

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	908	79	73	131	20	14	238	166
EQUITY	39		11	8	0	0	19	15
OTHER			20	30	4	1	55	36
TOTAL			104	169	24	15	312	217

MCKEAN

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	303	18	2	16	3	0	21	20
EQUITY	10		0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			2	16	3	0	21	20

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
248	24	19	105	51	731
24	4	0	4	1	35
6	2	0	12	6	39
278	30	19	121	58	805

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	285	37.2%
7-12 MONTHS	215	28.1%
13-18 MONTHS	115	15.0%
19-24 MONTHS	91	11.9%
25-30 MONTHS	30	3.9%
31-36 MONTHS	13	1.7%
OVER 36 MONTHS	17	2.2%
TOTAL	766	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
104	20	38	18	101	509
15	24	0	0	10	13
1	17	1	0	7	18
120	61	39	18	118	540

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	201	38.5%
7-12 MONTHS	147	28.2%
13-18 MONTHS	109	20.9%
19-24 MONTHS	26	5.0%
25-30 MONTHS	25	4.8%
31-36 MONTHS	8	1.5%
OVER 36 MONTHS	6	1.1%
TOTAL	522	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
85	9	13	4	55	72
6	4	0	1	4	4
23	2	0	3	8	19
114	15	13	8	67	95

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	61	80.3%
7-12 MONTHS	15	19.7%
13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	76	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
5	4	2	7	2	1
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
5	4	2	7	2	1

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	1	100.0%
7-12 MONTHS	0	0.0%
13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	1	100.0%

MERCER

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	527	17	28	94	0	0	122	91
EQUITY	33		1	5	0	0	6	3
OTHER			2	2	0	2	6	6
TOTAL			31	101	0	2	134	100

MIFFLIN

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	90	5	6	30	2	0	38	23
EQUITY	13		3	3	0	0	6	2
OTHER			7	11	0	0	18	6
TOTAL			16	44	2	0	62	31

MONROE

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	841	158	47	151	2	7	207	169
EQUITY	53		2	13	0	0	15	8
OTHER			7	20	0	0	27	19
TOTAL			56	184	2	7	249	196

MONTGOMERY

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	6,278	410	585	634	24	168	1,411	865
EQUITY	153		24	20	0	0	44	30
OTHER			51	42	0	0	93	67
TOTAL			660	696	24	168	1,548	962

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
62	2	10	8	9	31
1	0	0	2	0	3
1	2	0	0	3	0
64	4	10	10	12	34

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	29	85.3%
7-12 MONTHS	4	11.8%
13-18 MONTHS	1	2.9%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	34	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
15	2	2	1	3	15
0	0	0	0	2	4
4	0	0	0	2	12
19	2	2	1	7	31

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	18	94.7%
7-12 MONTHS	1	5.3%
13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	19	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
81	23	15	19	31	38
2	3	0	1	2	7
0	5	2	2	10	8
83	31	17	22	43	53

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	45	100.0%
7-12 MONTHS	0	0.0%
13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	45	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
617	40	98	78	32	546
15	5	2	8	0	14
35	16	7	8	1	26
667	61	107	94	33	586

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	326	58.2%
7-12 MONTHS	135	24.1%
13-18 MONTHS	32	5.7%
19-24 MONTHS	24	4.3%
25-30 MONTHS	4	.7%
31-36 MONTHS	4	.7%
OVER 36 MONTHS	35	6.3%
TOTAL	560	100.0%

NORTHAMPTON

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	1,793	263	94	344	0	35	473	354
EQUITY	214		12	44	0	0	56	40
OTHER			27	191	0	0	218	160
TOTAL			133	579	0	35	747	554

NORTHUMBERLAND

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	308	23	29	42	0	3	74	41
EQUITY	20		3	4	0	0	7	3
OTHER			11	10	0	0	21	12
TOTAL			43	56	0	3	102	56

PHILADELPHIA

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90 **	NEW CASES ***	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	42,660 *	6,640	44,004	17,436(EST.)	0	2,293	63,733	19,341
EQUITY	773		972	773	0	0	1,745	809
OTHER			998	399(EST.)	0	0	1,397	632
TOTAL			45,974	18,608	0	2,293	66,875	20,782

* Includes categories of Civil Action in addition to trespass/assumpsit.
** Includes all cases pending from first filing.
*** New Cases are first filings where amount at controversy is above arbitration limit.

PIKE

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	263	25	5	42	0	3	50	46
EQUITY	25		0	5	0	0	5	3
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			5	47	0	3	55	49

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)		
261	36	31	2	24	119	0-6 MONTHS	127	94.1%
20	20	0	0	0	16	7-12 MONTHS	8	5.9%
85	75	0	0	0	58	13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
366	131	31	2	24	193	25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						TOTAL	135	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)		
25	6	1	7	2	33	0-6 MONTHS	27	73.0%
2	1	0	0	0	4	7-12 MONTHS	5	13.5%
2	2	1	3	4	9	13-18 MONTHS	2	5.4%
						19-24 MONTHS	3	8.1%
29	9	2	10	6	46	25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						TOTAL	37	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90 **	AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only) ****		
14,336	402	334	3,891	378	44,392	0-6 MONTHS	5,671	12.5%
410	25	3	369	2	936	7-12 MONTHS	7,153	15.8%
316	27	7	275	7	765	13-18 MONTHS	5,408	11.9%
						19-24 MONTHS	5,077	11.2%
15,062	454	344	4,535	387	46,093	25-30 MONTHS	4,067	9.0%
						31-36 MONTHS	3,508	7.7%
						OVER 36 MONTHS	14,444	31.9%
						TOTAL	45,328	100.0%

**** Cases aged from first filing include arbitration appeals.

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)		
26	9	1	9	1	4	0-6 MONTHS	5	83.3%
1	1	0	1	0	2	7-12 MONTHS	1	16.7%
0	0	0	0	0	0	13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
27	10	1	10	1	6	25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						TOTAL	6	100.0%

POTTER

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	104	4	6	16	0	1	23	16
EQUITY	6		2	2	0	0	4	2
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			8	18	0	1	27	18

SCHUYLKILL

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	1,185	58	72	124	20	11	227	160
EQUITY	39		1	0	0	0	1	0
OTHER			6	4	0	0	10	3
TOTAL			79	128	20	11	238	163

SNYDER-UNION

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	210	12	21	25	6	0	52	32
EQUITY	16		2	2	0	0	4	2
OTHER			8	11	0	0	19	10
TOTAL			31	38	6	0	75	44

SOMERSET

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	TRIAL-READY CASES: CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	305	13	25	83	0	0	108	38
EQUITY	24		3	1	0	0	4	2
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			28	84	0	0	112	40

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
5	2	2	0	7	7
0	1	0	0	1	2
0	0	0	0	0	0
5	3	2	0	8	9

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	4	44.4%
7-12 MONTHS	4	44.4%
13-18 MONTHS	1	11.1%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	9	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
92	12	14	40	2	67
0	0	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1	7
93	12	14	41	3	75

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	48	70.6%
7-12 MONTHS	11	16.2%
13-18 MONTHS	4	5.9%
19-24 MONTHS	3	4.4%
25-30 MONTHS	1	1.5%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	1	1.5%
TOTAL	68	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
20	5	3	3	1	20
1	1	0	0	0	2
5	2	0	2	1	9
26	8	3	5	2	31

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	17	77.3%
7-12 MONTHS	3	13.6%
13-18 MONTHS	1	4.5%
19-24 MONTHS	1	4.5%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	22	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
22	4	4	0	8	70
1	0	0	0	1	2
0	0	0	0	0	0
23	4	4	0	9	72

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	43	59.7%
7-12 MONTHS	20	27.8%
13-18 MONTHS	1	1.4%
19-24 MONTHS	1	1.4%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	2	2.8%
OVER 36 MONTHS	5	6.9%
TOTAL	72	100.0%

SULLIVAN-WYOMING

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	186	4	17	19	9	0	45	34
EQUITY	14		0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER			0	2	3	0	5	5
TOTAL			17	21	12	0	50	39

SUSQUEHANNA

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	189	12	65(R)	41	1	2	109	22
EQUITY	18		6	4	0	0	10	2
OTHER			12	5	0	0	17	0
TOTAL			83(R)	50	1	2	136	24

TIOGA

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	65	13	17(R)	20	0	1	38	15
EQUITY	10		0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER			0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			17(R)	20	0	1	38	15

VENANGO

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	332	11	13	40	0	1	54	38
EQUITY	12		3	4	0	0	7	7
OTHER			5	12	0	0	17	12
TOTAL			21	56	0	1	78	57

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DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)		
5	1	6	20	2	11	0-6 MONTHS	4	36.4%
0	0	0	0	0	0	7-12 MONTHS	4	36.4%
1	0	1	3	0	0	13-18 MONTHS	2	18.2%
						19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
6	1	7	23	2	11	25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						31-36 MONTHS	1	9.1%
						OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						TOTAL	11	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)		
15	1	6	0	0	87	0-6 MONTHS	27	28.4%
0	2	0	0	0	8	7-12 MONTHS	14	14.7%
0	0	0	0	0	17	13-18 MONTHS	14	14.7%
						19-24 MONTHS	11	11.6%
15	3	6	0	0	112	25-30 MONTHS	11	11.6%
						31-36 MONTHS	7	7.4%
						OVER 36 MONTHS	11	11.6%
						TOTAL	95	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)		
10	1	2	0	2	23	0-6 MONTHS	9	39.1%
0	0	0	0	0	0	7-12 MONTHS	6	26.1%
0	0	0	0	0	0	13-18 MONTHS	4	17.4%
						19-24 MONTHS	1	4.3%
10	1	2	0	2	23	25-30 MONTHS	1	4.3%
						31-36 MONTHS	2	8.7%
						OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						TOTAL	23	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)		
24	4	8	1	1	16	0-6 MONTHS	16	100.0%
5	2	0	0	0	0	7-12 MONTHS	0	0.0%
7	2	2	0	1	5	13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
36	8	10	1	2	21	25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
						TOTAL	16	100.0%

WASHINGTON

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	371	246	251	305	0	46	602	334
EQUITY	55		4	24	0	0	28	14
OTHER			9	31	0	0	40	31
TOTAL			264	360	0	46	670	379

WAYNE

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	305	50	14	42	32	11	99	94
EQUITY	40		0	4	2	0	6	6
OTHER			0	1	0	0	1	1
TOTAL			14	47	34	11	106	101

WESTMORELAND

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	2,483	311	369	411	0	76	856	586
EQUITY	65		103	50	0	0	153	107
OTHER			40	40	0	0	80	71
TOTAL			512	501	0	76	1,089	764

YORK

TRIAL-READY CASES:

	DOCKETED CASES	ARBITRATED CASES	CASES PENDING 1/1/90	NEW CASES	RESTORED CASES	APPEALS FROM ARBITRATION	CASES AVAILABLE FOR TRIAL	TOTAL CASES DISPOSED
CIVIL ACTION	2,429	373	195	167	0	21	383	147
EQUITY	77		17	4	0	0	21	3
OTHER			42	10	0	7	59	11
TOTAL			254	181	0	28	463	161

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
224	32	36	30	12	268
7	5	0	2	0	14
5	22	0	4	0	9
236	59	36	36	12	291

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	131	46.5%
7-12 MONTHS	104	36.9%
13-18 MONTHS	35	12.4%
19-24 MONTHS	11	3.9%
25-30 MONTHS	1	.4%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	282	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
57	7	1	15	14	5
5	0	0	0	1	0
1	0	0	0	0	0
63	7	1	15	15	5

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	5	100.0%
7-12 MONTHS	0	0.0%
13-18 MONTHS	0	0.0%
19-24 MONTHS	0	0.0%
25-30 MONTHS	0	0.0%
31-36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
OVER 36 MONTHS	0	0.0%
TOTAL	5	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
367	96	28	5	90	270
54	32	0	0	21	46
21	44	0	0	6	9
442	172	28	5	117	325

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	156	49.4%
7-12 MONTHS	73	23.1%
13-18 MONTHS	25	7.9%
19-24 MONTHS	26	8.2%
25-30 MONTHS	7	2.2%
31-36 MONTHS	5	1.6%
OVER 36 MONTHS	24	7.6%
TOTAL	316	100.0%

DISPOSED BY:

SETTLED	NON-JURY TRIAL	JURY TRIAL	STRICKEN	OTHER	CASES PENDING 12/31/90
104	3	24	0	16	236
1	1	0	0	1	18
1	2	3	0	5	48
106	6	27	0	22	302

AGE OF TRIAL-READY CASES, 12/31/90 (Civil Action & Equity Only)

0-6 MONTHS	81	31.9%
7-12 MONTHS	54	21.3%
13-18 MONTHS	41	16.1%
19-24 MONTHS	23	9.1%
25-30 MONTHS	17	6.7%
31-36 MONTHS	4	1.6%
OVER 36 MONTHS	34	13.4%
TOTAL	254	100.0%

FAMILY COURT CASELOAD

STATE TOTALS

STATEWIDE:

	SUPPORT		CUSTODY/PARTIAL		JUVENILE	
	AFDC	NON-AFDC	CUSTODY/VISITATION	DIVORCE	DEPENDENCY *	DELINQUENCY *
CASES PENDING, 1/1/90	37,962(R)	27,126(R)	6,290(R)	76,281(R)	2,376(R)	9,788(R)
CASES FILED IN 1990	66,767	102,389	24,580	48,410	12,526	44,759
SUBTOTAL: CASES AVAILABLE	104,729	129,515	30,870	124,691	14,902	54,547
CASES PROCESSED IN 1990 BY:						
NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	54,208	81,246	14,526	11,861	3,589	23,143
JUDGE	4,311	11,939	8,401	29,931	8,583	20,217
OTHER	1,784	4,539	1,624	2,064	341	536
SUBTOTAL: CASES PROCESSED	60,303	97,724	24,551	43,856	12,513	43,896
CASES PENDING: 12/31/90	44,426	31,791	6,319	80,835	2,400	10,641

EXCLUDING PHILADELPHIA:

	SUPPORT		CUSTODY/PARTIAL		JUVENILE	
	AFDC	NON-AFDC	CUSTODY/VISITATION	DIVORCE	DEPENDENCY	DELINQUENCY
CASES PENDING, 1/1/90	19,426(R)	23,136(R)	3,994(R)	54,303(R)	1,061(R)	7,951(R)
CASES FILED IN 1990	52,522	90,940	17,493	42,379	7,906	36,121
SUBTOAL: CASES AVAILABLE	71,948	114,076	21,487	96,682	8,967	44,072
CASES PROCESSED IN 1990 BY:						
NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	44,466	73,162	9,661	6,957	2,781	21,782
JUDGE	3,023	10,243	5,888	29,894	4,667	12,934
OTHER	1,784	4,539	1,624	2,064	290	536
SUBTOTAL: CASES PROCESSED	49,273	87,944	17,173	38,915	7,738	35,252
CASES PENDING: 12/31/90	22,675	26,132	4,314	57,767	1,229	8,820

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* See note on page 61.

FAMILY COURT CASELOAD --- AFDC SUPPORT

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES PROCESSED	END PENDING	PROCESSED BY: NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	JUDGE	OTHER
ADAMS	54	282	240	96	211	22	7
ALLEGHENY	414	7,514	7,711	217	7,669	42	0
ARMSTRONG	66	669	569	166	526	28	15
BEAVER	314	1,960	1,751	1,023	1,644	107	0
BEDFORD	76	186	170	92	169	1	0
BERKS	1,358	1,627	1,244	1,741	790	422	32
BLAIR	140	734	736	138	704	30	2
BRADFORD	244	361	403	202	259	135	9
BUCKS	252	537	539	250	350	32	157
BUTLER	27	743	663	107	622	41	0
CAMBRIA	39	1,066	982	123	879	3	100
CAMERON-ELK	71	165	176	60	154	11	11
CARBON	130	387	340	177	257	0	83
CENTRE	122	337	359	100	308	51	0
CHESTER	888	788	480	1,196	451	0	29
CLARION	2	73	70	5	70	0	0
CLEARFIELD	52	243	231	64	104	39	88
CLINTON	73	252	227	98	185	4	38
COLUMBIA-MONTOUR	67	283	260	90	164	59	37
CRAWFORD	253(R)	656	543	366	517	26	0
CUMBERLAND	899	1,040	915	1,024	915	0	0
DAUPHIN	419	977	1,222	174	749	350	123
DELAWARE	1,236(R)	1,042	758	1,520	707	51	0
ERIE	3	3,049	3,008	44	2,909	13	86
FAYETTE	17	1,780	1,648	149	1,612	36	0
FOREST-WARREN	29	417	401	45	308	84	9
FRANKLIN-FULTON	32	967	956	43	906	42	8
GREENE	34	176	168	42	98	24	46
HUNTINGDON	11	110	113	8	112	0	1
INDIANA	52	308	257	103	228	0	29

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FAMILY COURT CASELOAD --- AFDC SUPPORT

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES PROCESSED	END PENDING	PROCESSED BY: NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	JUDGE	OTHER
JEFFERSON	161	285	332	114	324	0	8
JUNIATA-PERRY	33	142	148	27	130	0	18
LACKAWANNA	80	804	851	33	851	0	0
LANCASTER	806	3,353	3,295	864	3,155	140	0
LAWRENCE	512	1,044	849	707	761	29	59
LEBANON	218	792	695	315	675	16	4
LEHIGH	63	872	905	30	828	41	36
LUZERNE	34	1,412	1,438	8	1,409	9	20
LYCOMING	0	2,190	1,995	195	1,939	24	32
MCKEAN	153	441	362	232	360	1	1
MERCER	77	1,261	893	445	719	98	76
MIFFLIN	58	414	394	78	290	37	67
MONROE	19	427	418	28	376	42	0
MONTGOMERY	247	816	476	587	474	2	0
NORTHAMPTON	1,264	994	830	1,428	761	53	16
NORTHUMBERLAND	154	104	204	54	148	38	18
PHILADELPHIA	18,536	14,245	11,030	21,751	9,742	1,288	0
PIKE	118	138	70	186	68	2	0
POTTER	86	140	79	147	49	18	12
SCHUYLKILL	54	688	676	66	627	49	0
SNYDER-UNION	115	134	125	124	113	12	0
SOMERSET	47	238	244	41	201	2	41
SULLIVAN-WYOMING	94	260	259	95	201	25	33
SUSQUEHANNA	129	144	136	137	91	45	0
TIOGA	70	186	195	61	161	34	0
VENANGO	220	507	547	180	323	29	195
WASHINGTON	2,669	1,688	1,610	2,747	1,061	386	163
WAYNE	25	105	106	24	106	0	0
WESTMORELAND	3,151	2,494	2,382	3,263	2,098	209	75
YORK	895	1,720	1,619	996	1,590	29	0

FAMILY COURT CASELOAD --- NON-AFDC SUPPORT

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES PROCESSED	END PENDING	PROCESSED BY: NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	JUDGE	OTHER
ADAMS	116	892	809	199	606	77	126
ALLEGHENY	332	10,485	10,534	283	10,327	207	0
ARMSTRONG	37	575	590	22	467	66	57
BEAVER	160	2,130	2,008	282	1,809	199	0
BEDFORD	195	462	428	229	373	55	0
BERKS	2,418	2,335	2,743	2,010	2,002	627	114
BLAIR	195	1,263	1,237	221	1,064	128	45
BRADFORD	451	561	686	326	409	217	60
BUCKS	2,868	3,595	3,010	3,453	1,517	692	801
BUTLER	14	1,184	1,060	138	855	205	0
CAMBRIA	36	2,219	2,150	105	1,830	95	225
CAMERON-ELK	92	439	381	150	345	31	5
CARBON	234	872	790	316	640	14	136
CENTRE	135	404	369	170	341	28	0
CHESTER	405	1,605	1,833	177	1,713	25	95
CLARION	17	62	74	5	74	0	0
CLEARFIELD	167	596	617	146	297	103	217
CLINTON	106	390	353	143	249	33	71
COLUMBIA-MONTOUR	70	520	465	125	277	102	86
CRAWFORD	163	603	561	205	408	126	27
CUMBERLAND	1,197	3,877	3,764	1,310	3,661	103	0
DAUPHIN	8	1,391	1,392	7	914	478	0
DELAWARE	2,597(R)	2,354	1,792	3,159	1,501	291	0
ERIE	11	5,110	5,085	36	4,735	163	187
FAYETTE	10	908	889	29	793	84	12
FOREST-WARREN	59	529	538	50	432	95	11
FRANKLIN-FULTON	51	1,289	1,277	63	1,212	61	4
GREENE	18	146	134	30	85	26	23
HUNTINGDON	23	214	210	27	204	6	0
INDIANA	39	429	397	71	342	13	42

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FAMILY COURT CASELOAD --- NON-AFDC SUPPORT

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES PROCESSED	END PENDING	PROCESSED BY: NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	JUDGE	OTHER
JEFFERSON	47	510	497	60	473	0	24
JUNIATA-PERRY	293	865	797	361	750	0	47
LACKAWANNA	56	932	918	70	918	0	0
LANCASTER	288	3,905	4,074	119	3,729	345	0
LAWRENCE	108	968	851	225	694	63	94
LEBANON	483	2,189	1,985	687	1,845	57	83
LEHIGH	374	2,968	2,635	647	2,184	333	178
LUZERNE	2	1,717	1,699	20	1,627	31	41
LYCOMING	85	3,114	3,061	138	2,806	89	166
MCKEAN	200	673	563	310	561	2	0
MERCER	108	1,291	831	568	658	130	43
MIFFLIN	52	545	524	73	390	58	76
MONROE	9	1,177	1,175	11	1,009	166	0
MONTGOMERY	6,036	4,070	3,540	6,566	3,408	132	0
NORTHAMPTON	108	2,280	2,119	269	1,707	212	200
NORTHUMBERLAND	150	210	307	53	196	75	36
PHILADELPHIA	3,990	11,449	9,780	5,659	8,084	1,696	0
PIKE	67	142	119	90	112	7	0
POTTER	24	151	116	59	46	65	5
SCHUYLKILL	84	1,131	1,119	96	1,057	62	0
SNYDER-UNION	132	378	317	193	293	24	0
SOMERSET	110	660	648	122	465	22	161
SULLIVAN-WYOMING	71	297	299	69	215	43	41
SUSQUEHANNA	210	198	126	282	74	52	0
TIOGA	72	460	434	98	373	61	0
VENANGO	282	458	718	22	349	95	274
WASHINGTON	164	1,186	1,315	35	691	371	253
WAYNE	27	202	210	19	210	0	0
WESTMORELAND	394	3,866	4,080	180	3,166	559	355
YORK	876	6,958	6,631	1,203	3,674	2,839	118

FAMILY COURT CASELOAD --- CUSTODY/PARTIAL CUSTODY/VISITATION

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES PROCESSED	END PENDING	PROCESSED BY: NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	JUDGE	OTHER
ADAMS	198	234	237	195	0	236	1
ALLEGHENY	26	1,666	1,609	83	689	920	0
ARMSTRONG	106	85	118	73	0	117	1
BEAVER	112	239	190	161	132	55	3
BEDFORD	66	106	88	84	0	38	50
BERKS	122	525	569	78	115	383	71
BLAIR	182	201	156	227	140	6	10
BRADFORD	331	95	246	180	0	216	30
BUCKS	14	1,175	1,069	120	591	218	260
BUTLER	55	191	192	54	165	4	23
CAMBRIA	48	376	371	53	189	89	93
CAMERON-ELK	20	33	18	35	0	17	1
CARBON	28	64	72	20	14	18	40
CENTRE	3	116	114	5	0	114	0
CHESTER	48	636	576	108	558	18	0
CLARION	8	58	45	21	0	41	4
CLEARFIELD	9	121	120	10	0	120	0
CLINTON	28	69	75	22	13	62	0
COLUMBIA-MONTOUR	13	128	130	11	99	31	0
CRAWFORD	166	197	193	170	86	39	68
CUMBERLAND	11	273	248	36	128	120	0
DAUPHIN	121	477	491	107	293	103	95
DELAWARE	77	745	752	70	574	178	0
ERIE	75	714	743	46	631	19	93
FAYETTE	156	472	476	152	405	71	0
FOREST-WARREN	1	60	60	1	41	10	9
FRANKLIN-FULTON	36	66	58	44	0	58	0
GREENE	5	114	107	12	96	6	5
HUNTINGDON	16	41	26	31	0	24	2
INDIANA	17	165	159	23	0	100	59

FAMILY COURT CASELOAD --- CUSTODY/PARTIAL CUSTODY/VISITATION

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES PROCESSED	END PENDING	PROCESSED BY: NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	JUDGE	OTHER
JEFFERSON	38	107	81	64	0	76	5
JUNIATA-PERRY	13	58	54	17	0	54	0
LACKAWANNA	6	159	156	9	156	0	0
LANCASTER	231	496	613	114	318	263	32
LAWRENCE	61	81	141	1	0	141	0
LEBANON	153	334	273	214	88	48	137
LEHIGH	191	591	618	164	566	20	32
LUZERNE	0(R)	792	787	5	663	124	0
LYCOMING	179	369	408	140	146	74	188
MCKEAN	73	56	56	73	26	14	16
MERCER	54	66	65	55	0	65	0
MIFFLIN	12	105	92	25	0	92	0
MONROE	8	236	215	29	130	73	12
MONTGOMERY	151	1,074	1,039	186	726	313	0
NORTHAMPTON	12	590	596	6	565	31	0
NORTHUMBERLAND	5	251	232	24	184	6	42
PHILADELPHIA	2,296	7,087	7,378	2,005	4,865	2,513	0
PIKE	9	34	34	9	25	8	1
POTTER	16	60	66	10	0	66	0
SCHUYLKILL	11	416	340	87	88	252	0
SNYDER-UNION	29	103	62	70	1	55	6
SOMERSET	16	63	49	30	0	46	3
SULLIVAN-WYOMING	16	44	48	12	0	41	7
SUSQUEHANNA	17	47	36	28	0	36	0
TIOGA	70(R)	98	99	69	30	69	0
VENANGO	0	102	93	9	78	15	0
WASHINGTON	358	210	149	419	0	141	8
WAYNE	6	81	53	34	49	0	4
WESTMORELAND	14	671	647	38	217	217	213
YORK	147	757	763	141	646	117	0

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FAMILY COURT CASELOAD --- DIVORCE

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES PROCESSED	END PENDING	PROCESSED BY: NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	JUDGE	OTHER
ADAMS	491	296	282	505	1	276	5
ALLEGHENY	4,843	4,373	3,900	5,316	43	3,857	0
ARMSTRONG	17	230	222	25	9	213	0
BEAVER	929	774	600	1,103	0	600	0
BEDFORD	301	165	177	289	0	177	0
BERKS	1,849	1,355	1,256	1,948	29	1,050	177
BLAIR	1,206	583	476	1,313	33	443	0
BRADFORD	396	253	295	354	21	261	13
BUCKS	457	1,951	2,195	213	2,195	0	0
BUTLER	859	617	637	839	4	564	69
CAMBRIA	195	472	431	236	0	431	0
CAMERON-ELK	4,944	4,503	4,133	5,314	0	3,378	755
CARBON	211	218	178	251	8	168	2
CENTRE	632	429	336	725	0	336	0
CHESTER	1,136	1,282	1,101	1,317	101	1,000	0
CLARION	179	149	140	188	1	139	0
CLEARFIELD	392	288	260	420	1	248	11
CLINTON	328	166	130	364	1	129	0
COLUMBIA-MONTOUR	504	344	307	541	229	60	18
CRAWFORD	653	331	273	711	28	234	11
CUMBERLAND	1,215	895	1,194	916	0	831	363
DAUPHIN	1,485	1,008	922	1,571	47	875	0
DELAWARE	2,866(R)	1,566	1,397	3,035	1,236	161	0
ERIE	2,756	1,245	1,117	2,884	29	1,074	14
FAYETTE	1,563	553	503	1,613	476	15	12
FOREST-WARREN	146	220	185	181	0	183	2
FRANKLIN-FULTON	387	663	701	349	18	580	103
GREENE	209	187	201	195	0	195	6
HUNTINGDON	263	207	158	312	0	157	1
INDIANA	154	237	227	164	5	202	20

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FAMILY COURT CASELOAD --- DIVORCE

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES PROCESSED	END PENDING	PROCESSED BY: NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	JUDGE	OTHER
JEFFERSON	213	182	163	232	0	163	0
JUNIATA-PERRY	375	278	248	405	165	82	1
LACKAWANNA	1,067	763	594	1,236	53	541	0
LANCASTER	2,548	1,513	1,326	2,735	197	1,129	0
LAWRENCE	984	390	344	1,030	4	340	0
LEBANON	665	538	478	725	0	423	55
LEHIGH	2,191	1,196	1,104	2,283	73	991	40
LUZERNE	742	1,028	1,020	750	0	869	151
LYCOMING	689	511	458	742	412	46	0
MCKEAN	202	182	165	219	143	22	0
MERCER	588	507	474	621	0	421	53
MIFFLIN	229	183	185	227	0	176	9
MONROE	499	331	303	527	35	246	22
MONTGOMERY	1,490	2,013	1,620	1,883	0	1,620	0
NORTHAMPTON	870	941	825	986	814	0	11
NORTHUMBERLAND	524	383	297	610	12	285	0
PHILADELPHIA	21,978	6,031	4,941	23,068	4,904	37(EST.)	0
PIKE	215	168	150	233	17	132	1
POTTER	56	78	89	45	0	89	0
SCHUYLKILL	1,152	536	436	1,252	29	407	0
SNYDER-UNION	282	265	217	330	1	201	15
SOMERSET	248	292	243	297	40	203	0
SULLIVAN-WYOMING	187	150	167	170	0	137	30
SUSQUEHANNA	72	178	164	86	0	164	0
TIOGA	255	237	225	267	193	32	0
VENANGO	333	246	235	344	7	201	27
WASHINGTON	1,102	714	665	1,151	78	579	8
WAYNE	179	160	138	201	23	107	8
WESTMORELAND	2,558	1,223	1,210	2,571	7	1,152	51
YORK	2,222	1,633	1,438	2,417	139	1,299	0

FAMILY COURT CASELOAD --- DEPENDENCY

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES PROCESSED	END PENDING	PROCESSED BY: NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	JUDGE	OTHER
ADAMS	6	64	65	5	0	65	0
ALLEGHENY	148	1,233	1,178	203	0	1,178	0
ARMSTRONG	9	28	34	3	0	34	0
BEAVER	7	174	165	16	142	0	23
BEDFORD	17	24	38	3	0	38	0
BERKS	15	153	151	17	0	132	19
BLAIR	3	14	17	0	0	17	0
BRADFORD	65	73	77	61	53	24	0
BUCKS	0	104	103	1	0	103	0
BUTLER	27	113	112	28	99	0	13
CAMBRIA	5	133	137	1	24	93	20
CAMERON-ELK	0	152	148	4	5	143	0
CARBON	1	57	58	0	0	42	16
CENTRE	142(R)	32	146	28	0	146	0
CHESTER	21	163	64	120	64	0	0
CLARION	0	16	16	0	4	12	0
CLEARFIELD	2	49	47	4	0	47	0
CLINTON	4	23	16	11	0	16	0
COLUMBIA-MONTOUR	6	52	52	6	38	11	3
CRAWFORD	3	97	99	1	96	1	2
CUMBERLAND	2	71	73	0	0	72	1
DAUPHIN	13	105	101	17	86	1	14
DELAWARE	61	350	342	69	196	95	51
ERIE	22	152	171	3	148	11	12
FAYETTE	0	42	38	4	0	36	2
FOREST-WARREN	0	41	41	0	2	32	7
FRANKLIN-FULTON	5	49	47	7	0	47	0
GREENE	1	56	54	3	0	54	0
HUNTINGDON	0	15	11	4	0	11	0
INDIANA	3	114	115	2	0	104	11

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FAMILY COURT CASELOAD --- DEPENDENCY

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES PROCESSED	END PENDING	PROCESSED BY: NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	JUDGE	OTHER
JEFFERSON	4	37	35	6	0	35	0
JUNIATA-PERRY	8	39	43	4	0	39	4
LACKAWANNA	14	91	86	19	48	38	0
LANCASTER	147	80	43	184	0	43	0
LAWRENCE	1	64	64	1	64	0	0
LEBANON	9	75	77	7	0	77	0
LEHIGH	9	136	134	11	105	19	10
LUZERNE	3	1,233	1,231	5	581	650	0
LYCOMING	7	153	154	6	130	24	0
MCKEAN	33	43	21	55	15	6	0
MERCER	2	206	201	7	0	201	0
MIFFLIN	1	10	10	1	0	10	0
MONROE	3	128	129	2	0	127	2
MONTGOMERY	4	205	202	7	72	130	0
NORTHAMPTON	19	89	108	0	105	3	0
NORTHUMBERLAND	1	52	50	3	0	43	7
PHILADELPHIA *	1,315(R)	4,620	4,775	1,171	808	3,916	51
PIKE	0	7	7	0	0	7	0
POTTER	1	7	7	1	0	7	0
SCHUYLKILL	27	96	89	34	0	89	0
SNYDER-UNION	4	47	33	18	4	28	1
SOMERSET	1(R)	38	37	2	11	26	0
SULLIVAN-WYOMING	6	22	24	4	0	21	3
SUSQUEHANNA	26	15	17	24	0	17	0
TIOGA	7	53	58	2	0	58	0
VENANGO	0	35	35	0	22	13	0
WASHINGTON	34	175	159	50	147	12	0
WAYNE	0	18	18	0	0	18	0
WESTMORELAND	60	813	767	106	510	188	69
YORK	42	190	183	49	10	173	0

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FAMILY COURT CASELOAD --- DELINQUENCY

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES PROCESSED	END PENDING	PROCESSED BY: NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	JUDGE	OTHER
ADAMS	5	135	133	7	25	108	0
ALLEGHENY	1,129	9,750	9,387	1,492	6,398	2,989	0
ARMSTRONG	34	195	192	37	122	70	0
BEAVER	118	594	621	91	561	7	53
BEDFORD	7	79	62	24	28	34	0
BERKS	314(R)	1,430	1,391	353	318	1,073	0
BLAIR	42	666	688	20	233	365	90
BRADFORD	55	189	172	72	171	1	0
BUCKS	648(R)	1,568	1,395	821	428	967	0
BUTLER	100	490	467	123	450	12	5
CAMBRIA	131	696	686	141	614	72	0
CAMERON-ELK	28	173	169	32	129	40	0
CARBON	42	124	123	43	40	83	0
CENTRE	104	182	245	41	33	212	0
CHESTER	583	1,639	1,587	635	1,476	1	110
CLARION	7	85	89	3	52	37	0
CLEARFIELD	11	199	172	38	76	96	0
CLINTON	17	132	125	24	73	52	0
COLUMBIA-MONTOUR	60	172	176	56	98	71	7
CRAWFORD	54	292	281	65	81	137	63
CUMBERLAND	46	388	370	64	238	132	0
DAUPHIN	399	1,524	1,352	571	588	764	0
DELAWARE	459	1,404	1,307	556	1,070	237	0
ERIE	83	1,298	1,315	66	1,150	165	0
FAYETTE	35	575	598	12	508	90	0
FOREST-WARREN	9	138	145	2	113	31	1
FRANKLIN-FULTON	25	169	176	18	90	86	0
GREENE	1	54	51	4	0	51	0
HUNTINGDON	22	65	54	33	23	30	1
INDIANA	13	218	195	36	66	97	32

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COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES PROCESSED	END PENDING	PROCESSED BY: NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER	JUDGE	OTHER
JEFFERSON	28	167	172	23	66	106	0
JUNIATA-PERRY	12	38	47	3	0	43	4
LACKAWANNA	237	376	507	106	348	159	0
LANCASTER	163	1,340	1,238	265	360	878	0
LAWRENCE	40	84	79	45	74	5	0
LEBANON	60	409	428	41	350	78	0
LEHIGH	249	919	925	243	611	314	0
LUZERNE	25	972	928	69	776	152	0
LYCOMING	45	570	575	40	255	320	0
MCKEAN	15	61	69	7	0	69	0
MERCER	66	304	292	78	146	146	0
MIFFLIN	3	51	45	9	3	40	2
MONROE	11	178	150	39	104	28	18
MONTGOMERY	486	1,462	1,427	521	554	873	0
NORTHAMPTON	12	450	439	23	199	240	0
NORTHUMBERLAND	221(R)	444	478	187	430	48	0
PHILADELPHIA *	1,837(R)	8,638	8,644	1,821	1,361	7,283	0
PIKE	3	58	56	5	2	53	1
POTTER	8	117	85	40	36	49	0
SCHUYLKILL	48	278	239	87	154	85	0
SNYDER-UNION	33	83	43	73	7	33	3
SOMERSET	81	231	213	99	109	104	0
SULLIVAN-WYOMING	12	116	114	14	0	114	0
SUSQUEHANNA	76	55	57	74	11	46	0
TIOGA	4	152	137	19	41	96	0
VENANGO	3	64	67	0	23	44	0
WASHINGTON	207	445	463	189	448	15	0
WAYNE	4	50	46	8	22	21	3
WESTMORELAND	395	919	1,021	293	551	327	143
YORK	823	1,105	1,188	740	850	338	0

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STATE TOTALS

STATEWIDE:

	ACCOUNTS	ADOPTIONS	RELINQUISHMENTS/ TERMINATIONS	INCOMPETENCY PROCEEDINGS
CASES PENDING, 1/1/90	2,012(R)	1,161(R)	1,029(R)	514(R)
CASES FILED	11,244	4,597	3,404	2,423
SUBTOTAL: CASES AVAILABLE	13,256	5,758	4,433	2,937
CASES DISPOSED:				
CONTESTED BEFORE JUDGE	966	38	272	156
CONTESTED BEFORE MASTER, AUDITOR, OR EXAMINER	38	--	6	21
UNCONTESTED	10,286	4,480	2,960	2,237
SUBTOTAL: CASES DISPOSED	11,290	4,518	3,238	2,414
CASES PENDING, 12/31/90	1,966	1,240	1,195	523

EXCLUDING PHILADELPHIA:

	ACCOUNTS	ADOPTIONS	RELINQUISHMENTS/ TERMINATIONS	INCOMPETENCY PROCEEDINGS
CASES PENDING, 1/1/90	1,746(R)	1,003(R)	925(R)	498(R)
CASES FILED	10,602	4,194	2,786	2,186
SUBTOTAL: CASES AVAILABLE	12,348	5,197	3,711	2,684
CASES DISPOSED:				
CONTESTED BEFORE JUDGE	659	38	266	39
CONTESTED BEFORE MASTER, AUDITOR, OR EXAMINER	38	--	6	2
UNCONTESTED	9,933	4,112	2,422	2,160
SUBTOTAL: CASES DISPOSED	10,630	4,150	2,694	2,201
CASES PENDING, 12/31/90	1,718	1,047	1,017	483

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COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES DISPOSED	END PENDING	DISPOSED BY: JUDGE (CONTESTED)	AUDITOR/MASTER EXAMINER (CONTESTED)	UNCONTESTED
ADAMS	10	67	70	7	0	0	70
ALLEGHENY	364	2,137	2,182	319	430	0	1,752
ARMSTRONG	32	152	153	31	0	1	152
BEAVER	2	302	300	4	10	0	290
BEDFORD	18	63	65	16	0	0	65
BERKS	122	395	396	121	13	0	383
BLAIR	88	292	276	104	0	0	276
BRADFORD	17	60	58	19	0	0	58
BUCKS	52	135	169	18	13	0	156
BUTLER	190	277	304	163	1	0	303
CAMBRIA	43	639	647	35	1	0	646
CAMERON-ELK	6	68	69	5	0	0	69
CARBON	8	22	20	10	0	0	20
CENTRE	11	95	85	21	1	0	84
CHESTER	52	157	161	48	36	0	125
CLARION	13	29	31	11	0	0	31
CLEARFIELD	10	134	135	9	9	0	126
CLINTON	13(R)	60	61	12	3	0	58
COLUMBIA-MONTOUR	10	76	78	8	0	2	76
CRAWFORD	21	79	82	18	1	0	81
CUMBERLAND	9	183	164	28	0	0	164
DAUPHIN	19	146	156	9	1	0	155
DELAWARE	133(R)	274	308	99	19	0	289
ERIE	15	354	366	3	16	0	350
FAYETTE	8	186	188	6	0	0	188
FOREST-WARREN	7	49	47	9	0	0	47
FRANKLIN-FULTON	1	64	64	1	0	0	64
GREENE	2	35	33	4	0	0	33
HUNTINGDON	56	75	77	54	7	0	70
INDIANA	0	170	167	3	1	1	165

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COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES DISPOSED	END PENDING	DISPOSED BY: JUDGE (CONTESTED)	AUDITOR/MASTER EXAMINER (CONTESTED)	UNCONTESTED
JEFFERSON	9	94	99	4	0	0	99
JUNIATA-PERRY	11	59	65	5	1	1	63
LACKAWANNA	3	69	67	5	3	22	42
LANCASTER	7	163	138	32	0	0	138
LAWRENCE	3	122	123	2	7	0	116
LEBANON	15	42	49	8	1	3	45
LEHIGH	45(R)	102	98	49	14	0	84
LUZERNE	12	213	215	10	0	0	215
LYCOMING	20	155	150	25	0	0	150
MCKEAN	0	36	34	2	0	0	34
MERCER	8	174	177	5	0	0	177
MIFFLIN	10	66	63	13	0	0	63
MONROE	9	26	26	9	0	0	26
MONTGOMERY	0	592	588	4	41	0	547
NORTHAMPTON	11	137	131	17	0	0	131
NORTHUMBERLAND	5	104	101	8	0	0	101
PHILADELPHIA	266	642	660	248	307	0	353
PIKE	2	5	5	2	0	0	5
POTTER	0	8	6	2	0	0	6
SCHUYLKILL	6	143	142	7	11	0	131
SNYDER-UNION	18	81	91	8	6	0	85
SOMERSET	4	66	65	5	3	0	62
SULLIVAN-WYOMING	3	11	11	3	0	0	11
SUSQUEHANNA	3	9	9	3	1	0	8
TIOGA	8	34	34	8	2	0	32
VENANGO	19	131	123	27	1	7	115
WASHINGTON	55	253	253	55	0	0	253
WAYNE	7	31	27	11	0	0	27
WESTMORELAND	92	682	607	167	6	1	600
YORK	29	219	221	27	0	0	221

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COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES DISPOSED	END PENDING	DISPOSED BY: JUDGE (CONTESTED)	DISPOSED BY: UNCONTESTED
ADAMS	20	30	34	16	0	34
ALLEGHENY	30	327	324	33	5	319
ARMSTRONG	13	30	29	14	0	29
BEAVER	2	48	43	7	0	43
BEDFORD	0	35	33	2	0	33
BERKS	31	147	160	18	4	156
BLAIR	19	61	61	19	1	60
BRADFORD	16	34	33	17	0	33
BUCKS	35(R)	494	516	13	4	512
BUTLER	1	49	42	8	0	42
CAMBRIA	5	51	49	7	2	47
CAMERON-ELK	8	11	14	5	0	14
CARBON	5	22	25	2	0	25
CENTRE	0	34	29	5	0	29
CHESTER	7	117	90	34	4	86
CLARION	25	14	18	21	0	18
CLEARFIELD	52	36	70	18	0	70
CLINTON	1(R)	17	11	7	3	8
COLUMBIA-MONTOUR	11	30	23	18	0	23
CRAWFORD	12	30	38	4	0	38
CUMBERLAND	41	114	87	68	0	87
DAUPHIN	12	76	78	10	1	77
DELAWARE	118	185	182	121	0	182
ERIE	12	166	155	23	0	155
FAYETTE	0	44	44	0	0	44
FOREST-WARREN	14	22	27	9	2	25
FRANKLIN-FULTON	1	54	42	13	0	42
GREENE	1	8	7	2	0	7
HUNTINGDON	9	27	22	14	0	22
INDIANA	32	24	29	27	1	28

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COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES DISPOSED	END PENDING	DISPOSED BY: JUDGE (CONTESTED)	DISPOSED BY: UNCONTESTED
JEFFERSON	5	16	19	2	0	19
JUNIATA-PERRY	4	17	19	2	0	19
LACKAWANNA	14	54	60	8	0	60
LANCASTER	36	135	145	26	0	145
LAWRENCE	27	22	21	28	0	21
LEBANON	2	56	54	4	0	54
LEHIGH	19(R)	111	112	18	9	103
LUZERNE	8	107	99	16	0	99
LYCOMING	21	79	76	24	0	76
MCKEAN	4	28	24	8	0	24
MERCER	27	28	34	21	0	34
MIFFLIN	3	24	23	4	0	23
MONROE	11	24	26	9	0	26
MONTGOMERY	7	359	341	25	0	341
NORTHAMPTON	8	96	98	6	0	98
NORTHUMBERLAND	13(R)	21	34	0	0	34
PHILADELPHIA	158	403	368	193	0	368
PIKE	2	6	7	1	0	7
POTTER	0	9	8	1	2	6
SCHUYLKILL	15	43	48	10	0	48
SNYDER-UNION	3	20	13	10	0	13
SOMERSET	10	32	30	12	0	30
SULLIVAN-WYOMING	3	16	13	6	0	13
SUSQUEHANNA	3	16	15	4	0	15
TIOGA	26	28	28	26	0	28
VENANGO	2	23	22	3	0	22
WASHINGTON	4	74	59	19	0	59
WAYNE	0	74	72	2	0	72
WESTMORELAND	30	126	136	20	0	136
YORK	163	213	199	177	0	199

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ORPHANS' COURT CASELOAD --- RELINQUISHMENTS/TERMINATIONS

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES DISPOSED	END PENDING	DISPOSED BY: JUDGE (CONTESTED)	AUDITOR/MASTER EXAMINER (CONTESTED)	UNCONTESTED
ADAMS	5	10	9	6	0	0	9
ALLEGHENY	63	209	197	75	27	0	170
ARMSTRONG	16	31	28	19	0	0	28
BEAVER	1	55	48	8	28	0	20
BEDFORD	2	9	9	2	0	0	9
BERKS	29	121	130	20	13	0	117
BLAIR	12	0	7	5	3	0	4
BRADFORD	33	21	39	15	0	0	39
BUCKS	63	43	63	43	0	0	63
BUTLER	9	51	42	18	0	0	42
CAMBRIA	4	32	36	0	4	1	31
CAMERON-ELK	2	8	8	2	1	0	7
CARBON	2	13	15	0	0	0	15
CENTRE	20	33	31	22	0	0	31
CHESTER	32	166	116	82	21	0	95
CLARION	0	3	3	0	0	0	3
CLEARFIELD	0	23	23	0	0	0	23
CLINTON	9(R)	6	5	10	0	0	5
COLUMBIA-MONTOUR	3	22	20	5	3	0	17
CRAWFORD	5	12	13	4	6	0	7
CUMBERLAND	41	118	91	68	7	0	84
DAUPHIN	10	23	31	2	2	0	29
DELAWARE	126	198	193	131	70	4	119
ERIE	20	185	192	13	11	0	181
FAYETTE	11	73	77	7	5	0	72
FOREST-WARREN	9	14	19	4	2	0	17
FRANKLIN-FULTON	5	14	15	4	0	0	15
GREENE	5	11	13	3	0	0	13
HUNTINGDON	14	21	14	21	0	0	14
INDIANA	16	19	22	13	2	0	20

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COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES DISPOSED	END PENDING	DISPOSED BY: JUDGE (CONTESTED)	AUDITOR/MASTER EXAMINER (CONTESTED)	UNCONTESTED
JEFFERSON	4	18	18	4	0	0	18
JUNIATA-PERRY	5(R)	8	9	4	0	0	9
LACKAWANNA	23	64	64	23	1	1	62
LANCASTER	5	61	54	12	0	0	54
LAWRENCE	16	17	14	19	0	0	14
LEBANON	4	31	24	11	1	0	23
LEHIGH	40(R)	71	80	31	34	0	46
LUZERNE	13	44	49	8	7	0	42
LYCOMING	42	63	67	38	0	0	67
MCKEAN	3	7	8	2	0	0	8
MERCER	15	14	17	12	0	0	17
MIFFLIN	0	11	8	3	0	0	8
MONROE	0	21	16	5	2	0	14
MONTGOMERY	20	342	320	42	2	0	318
NORTHAMPTON	15	84	69	30	0	0	69
NORTHUMBERLAND	48	38	54	32	0	0	54
PHILADELPHIA	104	618	544	178	6	0	538
PIKE	2	5	7	0	0	0	7
POTTER	2	8	7	3	0	0	7
SCHUYLKILL	9	46	40	15	4	0	36
SNYDER-UNION	13	11	15	9	0	0	15
SOMERSET	7	25	23	9	1	0	22
SULLIVAN-WYOMING	0	9	8	1	1	0	7
SUSQUEHANNA	2	9	5	6	0	0	5
TIOGA	17	22	16	23	0	0	16
VENANGO	2	15	16	1	0	0	16
WASHINGTON	21	60	45	36	2	0	43
WAYNE	3	12	14	1	2	0	12
WESTMORELAND	27	109	104	32	4	0	100
YORK	0	17	14	3	0	0	14

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ORPHANS' COURT CASELOAD --- INCOMPETENCY PROCEEDINGS

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES DISPOSED	END PENDING	DISPOSED BY: JUDGE (CONTESTED)	AUDITOR/MASTER EXAMINER (CONTESTED)	UNCONTESTED
ADAMS	3	10	13	0	0	0	13
ALLEGHENY	123	499	582	40	3	0	579
ARMSTRONG	6	23	23	6	0	0	23
BEAVER	2	43	42	3	2	0	40
BEDFORD	2	7	9	0	0	0	9
BERKS	11	62	64	9	0	0	64
BLAIR	9	23	25	7	1	0	24
BRADFORD	24	8	4	28	0	0	4
BUCKS	55	56	69	42	1	0	68
BUTLER	2	24	21	5	0	0	21
CAMBRIA	1	65	56	10	0	0	56
CAMERON-ELK	0	11	10	1	1	0	9
CARBON	0	9	8	1	0	0	8
CENTRE	4	21	10	15	0	0	10
CHESTER	8	48	44	12	2	0	42
CLARION	14	16	18	12	0	0	18
CLEARFIELD	0	23	22	1	0	0	22
CLINTON	2(R)	8	8	2	0	0	8
COLUMBIA-MONTOUR	2	45	44	3	0	0	44
CRAWFORD	5	19	19	5	1	0	18
CUMBERLAND	3	21	19	5	0	0	19
DAUPHIN	7	24	31	0	0	0	31
DELAWARE	20(R)	124	116	28	4	0	112
ERIE	8	68	72	4	5	0	67
FAYETTE	1	42	41	2	0	0	41
FOREST-WARREN	2	14	9	7	0	0	9
FRANKLIN-FULTON	1	11	8	4	0	0	8
GREENE	0	15	15	0	0	0	15
HUNTINGDON	13	28	20	21	0	0	20
INDIANA	27	18	15	30	0	0	15

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ORPHANS' COURT CASELOAD --- INCOMPETENCY PROCEEDINGS

COUNTY	BEGIN PENDING	CASES FILED	CASES DISPOSED	END PENDING	DISPOSED BY: JUDGE (CONTESTED)	AUDITOR/MASTER EXAMINER (CONTESTED)	UNCONTESTED
JEFFERSON	0	4	4	0	0	0	4
JUNIATA-PERRY	0(R)	11	11	0	0	0	11
LACKAWANNA	2	41	39	4	0	2	37
LANCASTER	5	27	25	7	1	0	24
LAWRENCE	0	22	15	7	0	0	15
LEBANON	1	24	18	7	1	0	17
LEHIGH	5(R)	51	46	10	10	0	36
LUZERNE	15	65	59	21	0	0	59
LYCOMING	23	14	31	6	0	0	31
MCKEAN	1	11	11	1	0	0	11
MERCER	7	24	27	4	0	0	27
MIFFLIN	0	11	8	3	0	0	8
MONROE	1	24	21	4	3	0	18
MONTGOMERY	1	93	94	0	1	0	93
NORTHAMPTON	8	53	52	9	0	0	52
NORTHUMBERLAND	0	4	4	0	0	0	4
PHILADELPHIA	16	237	213	40	117	19	77
PIKE	1	6	6	1	0	0	6
POTTER	0	11	10	1	0	0	10
SCHUYLKILL	2	24	23	3	1	0	22
SNYDER-UNION	3	10	11	2	1	0	10
SOMERSET	15	18	18	15	0	0	18
SULLIVAN-WYOMING	2	11	12	1	0	0	12
SUSQUEHANNA	0	6	5	1	0	0	5
TIOGA	0	11	5	6	0	0	5
VENANGO	0	8	8	0	0	0	8
WASHINGTON	19	61	48	32	1	0	47
WAYNE	3	18	19	2	0	0	19
WESTMORELAND	27	92	91	28	0	0	91
YORK	2	46	43	5	0	0	43

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JUROR UTILIZATION

STATE TOTALS

JURY ACTIVITY:

	STATEWIDE	EXCLUDING PHILADELPHIA
JUROR DAYS	272,777	215,045
NUMBER SENT TO VOIR DIRE	229,024	179,863
SWORN JURORS	72,506	61,383
VOIR DIRES BEGUN	6,615	5,215
JURY TRIALS BEGUN	5,589	4,556
POOL DAYS	3,028	2,781
ZERO PANEL DAYS	445	435
TOTAL FEES INCURRED	$6,380,040	$5,000,225

PERFORMANCE MEASURES:

VOIR DIRE ATTENDANCE RATE(%)	84.0	83.6
TRIAL ATTENDANCE RATE(%)	31.7	34.1
JUROR DAYS PER VOIR DIRE STARTS	41.2	41.2
PERCENT ZERO PANEL DAYS(%)	14.7	15.6
AVERAGE JUROR FEES PER TRIAL	$1,142	$1,098

JURY ACTIVITY

COUNTY	JUROR DAYS	NUMBER SENT TO VOIR DIRE	SWORN JURORS	VOIR DIRES BEGUN	JURY TRIALS BEGUN	POOL DAYS	ZERO PANEL DAYS	TOTAL FEES
ADAMS	1,038	1,313	502	42	31	19	1	$ 22,569
ALLEGHENY	33,522	25,280	10,098	872	801	236	23	825,308
ARMSTRONG	699	593	204	18	15	13	2	20,238
BEAVER	1,771	2,160	448	37	32	25	7	35,257
BEDFORD	765	688	358	27	25	11	1	15,398
BERKS	11,548	12,061	2,860	286	202	183	18	$ 264,747
BLAIR	1,695	2,618	980	74	59	19	1	54,608
BRADFORD	923	752	274	21	20	17	2	22,562
BUCKS	10,961	7,492	1,956	209	169	141	37	269,339
BUTLER	1,946	1,363	850	57	56	35	5	39,967
CAMBRIA	4,442	3,345	918	60	56	42	5	$ 150,376
CAMERON	163	188	84	6	5	3	0	2,731
CARBON	740	595	247	19	15	7	0	14,202
CENTRE	1,471	3,212	777	109	58	12	0	39,899
CHESTER	7,976	4,046	1,213	104	94	141	62	161,338
CLARION	498	463	181	13	13	13	0	$ 6,730
CLEARFIELD	1,387	2,143	638	84	43	18	0	38,232
CLINTON	419	345	138	13	10	7	0	8,407
COLUMBIA	505	505	154	10	10	5	0	12,956
CRAWFORD	1,328	1,053	489	39	37	26	4	31,512
CUMBERLAND	3,150	4,301	1,370	103	103	41	1	$ 68,844
DAUPHIN	5,326	5,535	2,264	172	168	76	5	163,385
DELAWARE	15,932	9,630	2,941	245	235	178	30	272,982
ELK	535	733	210	28	15	6	0	10,880
ERIE	6,393	7,208	2,313	203	180	91	3	181,000
FAYETTE	4,142	3,421	1,608	128	125	45	0	$ 95,441
FOREST	393	242	98	9	6	6	1	6,990
FRANKLIN	856	2,057	546	39	26	7	0	17,860
FULTON	271	539	182	13	13	5	0	7,381
GREENE	771	1,136	662	44	35	12	2	24,682
HUNTINGDON	949	728	168	21	11	14	0	$ 21,418
INDIANA	1,447	1,267	374	33	27	22	4	30,802
JEFFERSON	810	787	235	24	17	10	0	19,604
JUNIATA	287	339	91	10	7	6	3	7,507

PERFORMANCE MEASURES

VOIR DIRE ATTENDANCE RATE	TRIAL ATTENDANCE RATE	JUROR DAYS PER VOIR DIRE STARTS	PERCENT ZERO PANEL DAYS	AVERAGE JUROR FEES PER TRIAL
126.5 %	38.2 %	24.7	5.3 %	$ 728
75.4	39.9	38.4	9.7	1,030
84.8	34.4	38.8	15.4	1,349
122.0	20.7	47.9	28.0	1,102
89.9	52.0	28.3	9.1	616
104.4 %	23.7 %	40.4	9.8 %	$ 1,311
154.5	37.4	22.9	5.3	926
81.5	36.4	44.0	11.8	1,128
68.4	26.1	52.4	26.2	1,594
70.0	62.4	34.1	14.3	714
75.3 %	27.4 %	74.0	11.9 %	$ 2,685
115.3	44.7	27.2	0.0	546
80.4	41.5	38.9	0.0	947
218.4	24.2	13.5	0.0	688
50.7	30.0	76.7	44.0	1,716
93.0 %	39.1 %	38.3	0.0 %	$ 518
154.5	29.8	16.5	0.0	889
82.3	40.0	32.2	0.0	841
100.0	30.5	50.5	0.0	1,296
79.3	46.4	34.1	15.4	852
136.5 %	31.9 %	30.6	2.4 %	$ 668
103.9	40.9	31.0	6.6	973
60.4	30.5	65.0	16.9	1,162
137.0	28.6	19.1	0.0	725
112.7	32.1	31.5	3.3	1,006
82.6 %	47.0 %	32.4	0.0 %	$ 764
61.6	40.5	43.7	16.7	1,165
240.3	26.5	21.9	0.0	687
198.9	33.8	20.8	0.0	568
147.3	58.3	17.5	16.7	705
76.7 %	23.1 %	45.2	0.0 %	$ 1,947
87.6	29.5	43.8	18.2	1,141
97.2	29.9	33.8	0.0	1,153
118.1	26.8	28.7	50.0	1,072

JURY ACTIVITY

COUNTY	JUROR DAYS	NUMBER SENT TO VOIR DIRE	SWORN JURORS	VOIR DIRES BEGUN	JURY TRIALS BEGUN	POOL DAYS	ZERO PANEL DAYS	TOTAL FEES
LACKAWANNA	5,587	4,459	1,504	122	122	86	14	$ 92,799
LANCASTER	4,808	2,614	947	74	71	81	28	104,973
LAWRENCE	4,393	3,025	1,175	83	83	74	19	95,300
LEBANON	1,424	1,424	854	61	61	16	1	30,319
LEHIGH	5,267	3,183	1,008	79	74	78	21	111,045
LUZERNE	7,187	4,113	1,335	120	96	96	26	$ 190,954
LYCOMING	4,965	3,856	1,504	117	117	86	9	102,391
MCKEAN	927	832	224	24	15	12	2	18,731
MERCER	3,793	3,727	1,235	97	94	77	14	78,734
MIFFLIN	611	723	290	21	14	10	0	13,360
MONROE	3,060	2,349	1,063	76	71	23	0	$ 100,154
MONTGOMERY	13,696	10,622	2,548	220	203	174	17	257,102
MONTOUR	481	254	98	8	8	10	2	8,962
NORTHAMPTON	5,226	3,172	1,293	91	91	61	10	91,916
NORTHUMBELAND	2,422	1,370	474	37	32	32	5	32,729
PERRY	551	868	381	28	28	9	0	$ 17,213
PHILADELPHIA	57,732	49,161	11,123	1,400	1,033	247	10	1,379,815
PIKE	487	514	266	19	15	6	0	10,769
POTTER	309	486	217	19	16	6	1	10,118
SCHUYLKILL	2,985	3,834	918	108	67	33	3	71,292
SNYDER	223	740	162	27	12	4	2	$ 6,078
SOMERSET	1,329	1,406	524	39	27	10	0	27,685
SULLIVAN	64	12	12	1	2	2	1	910
SUSQUEHANNA	751	1,039	319	35	23	12	0	27,464
TIOGA	516	418	168	11	11	12	0	9,308
UNION	216	589	158	22	12	4	0	$ 9,118
VENANGO	1,041	2,152	993	79	69	12	0	41,251
WARREN	613	555	220	16	14	8	2	8,821
WASHINGTON	3,631	2,727	872	80	66	72	11	101,147
WAYNE	413	369	183	13	10	6	0	7,376
WESTMORELAND	6,943	5,142	1,512	111	109	84	17	$ 156,523
WYOMING	556	518	233	19	18	9	0	10,350
YORK	5,807	4,633	1,262	186	186	84	13	190,181

PERFORMANCE MEASURES

VOIR DIRE ATTENDANCE RATE	TRIAL ATTENDANCE RATE	JUROR DAYS PER VOIR DIRE STARTS	PERCENT ZERO PANEL DAYS	AVERAGE JUROR FEES PER TRIAL
79.8 %	33.7 %	45.8	16.3 %	$ 761
54.4	36.2	65.0	34.6	1,478
68.9	38.8	52.9	25.7	1,148
100.0	60.0	23.3	6.3	497
60.4	31.7	66.7	26.9	1,501
57.2 %	32.5 %	59.9	27.1 %	$ 1,989
77.7	39.0	42.4	10.5	875
89.8	26.9	38.6	16.7	1,249
98.3	33.1	39.1	18.2	838
118.3	40.1	29.1	0.0	954
76.8 %	45.3 %	40.3	0.0 %	$ 1,411
77.6	24.0	62.3	9.8	1,267
52.8	38.6	60.1	20.0	1,120
60.7	40.8	57.4	16.4	1,010
56.6	34.6	65.5	15.6	1,023
157.5 %	43.9 %	19.7	0.0 %	$ 615
85.2	22.6	41.2	4.0	1,336
105.5	51.8	25.6	0.0	718
157.3	44.7	16.3	16.7	632
128.3	23.9	27.7	9.1	1,064
331.8 %	21.9 %	8.3	50.0 %	$ 507
136.6	37.3	26.4	0.0	1,025
18.8	100.0	64.0	50.0	455
138.3	30.7	21.5	0.0	1,194
81.0	40.2	46.9	0.0	846
272.7 %	26.8 %	9.8	0.0 %	$ 760
206.7	46.1	13.2	0.0	598
90.5	39.6	38.3	25.0	630
75.1	32.0	45.4	15.3	1,533
89.3	49.6	31.8	0.0	738
74.1 %	29.4 %	62.5	20.2 %	$ 1,436
93.2	45.0	29.3	0.0	575
79.8	48.8	31.2	15.5	1,022

LIMITED JURISDICTION COURTS

DISTRICT JUSTICE --- FELONIES/MISDEMEANORS/ESCALATING SUMMARIES

COUNTY	TOTAL FILED	TOTAL DISPOSED	DISPOSED BY: SETTLED/ PROS. WITHDRAWN	DISMISSED	WAIVED TO COURT	BOUND TO COURT	GUILTY PLEA	INACTIVE CASES	OTHER
ADAMS	1,042	1,009	131	68	369	336	31	1	73
ALLEGHENY	15,840	15,050	2,846	2,886	4,217	4,545	379	100	77
ARMSTRONG	849	820	206	115	201	279	17	0	2
BEAVER	3,157	3,127	533	316	1,823	252	71	35	97
BEDFORD	541	589	137	3	360	59	13	17	0
BERKS	4,854	4,520	483	515	1,976	1,091	105	282	68
BLAIR	2,297	2,204	236	72	1,268	261	229	9	129
BRADFORD	761	754	108	105	255	166	64	23	33
BUCKS	9,353	9,008	476	738	3,157	3,160	27	509	941
BUTLER	2,381	2,235	298	119	1,196	353	203	35	31
CAMBRIA	2,405	2,360	539	168	782	402	132	37	300
CAMERON	119	115	26	6	47	19	2	0	15
CARBON	648	628	65	69	222	218	38	9	7
CENTRE	1,894	1,832	103	62	1,219	351	83	14	0
CHESTER	6,281	6,267	1,020	399	1,944	1,900	158	136	710
CLARION	527	523	45	43	201	124	64	0	46
CLEARFIELD	1,102	1,118	77	26	593	109	300	0	13
CLINTON	524	506	43	52	238	166	4	2	1
COLUMBIA	817	746	246	59	256	101	67	0	17
CRAWFORD	1,179	1,126	100	21	510	365	96	4	30
CUMBERLAND	3,150	2,676	325	151	984	879	50	129	158
DAUPHIN	7,196	6,636	1,081	1,089	1,756	1,725	639	11	335
DELAWARE	10,086	9,772	1,220	1,646	1,560	3,178	1,353	555	260
ELK	475	477	43	26	168	204	22	1	13
ERIE	4,720	4,272	513	450	1,758	884	145	5	517
FAYETTE (I)	1,987	1,827	209	323	665	540	8	30	52
FOREST	101	92	5	3	59	13	11	0	1
FRANKLIN	1,945	1,746	167	117	1,009	306	34	90	23
FULTON	194	194	14	9	48	105	18	0	0
GREENE	728	588	146	66	219	126	1	0	30
HUNTINGDON	526	502	105	45	158	152	38	1	3
INDIANA	952	922	80	157	355	277	20	0	33
JEFFERSON	623	590	94	41	281	75	48	13	38

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DISTRICT JUSTICE --- FELONIES/MISDEMEANORS/ESCALATING SUMMARIES

COUNTY	TOTAL FILED	TOTAL DISPOSED	DISPOSED BY: SETTLED/ PROS. WITHDRAWN	DISMISSED	WAIVED TO COURT	BOUND TO COURT	GUILTY PLEA	INACTIVE CASES	OTHER
JUNIATA	260	220	36	16	91	68	2	0	7
LACKAWANNA	4,004	3,466	605	340	1,529	439	271	47	235
LANCASTER	5,782	6,658	618	593	1,195	2,088	280	1,622	262
LAWRENCE	1,961	1,867	148	403	685	339	76	105	111
LEBANON	1,425	1,148	82	38	580	349	5	18	76
LEHIGH	6,533	5,132	305	714	2,148	1,358	596	2	9
LUZERNE	5,619	4,029	417	541	2,064	564	152	2	289
LYCOMING	1,909	1,835	138	58	720	728	126	41	24
MCKEAN	869	865	129	44	176	343	28	111	34
MERCER	2,016	2,102	344	72	735	375	237	171	168
MIFFLIN	690	599	97	37	388	59	12	5	1
MONROE	1,754	1,811	202	281	296	402	217	203	210
MONTGOMERY	12,224	10,589	878	787	4,482	2,853	628	68	893
MONTOUR	173	159	29	5	70	47	8	0	0
NORTHAMPTON	4,146	3,667	426	299	1,365	1,002	199	36	340
NORTHUMBERLAND	1,365	1,360	160	43	817	217	38	9	76
PERRY	487	488	65	21	169	195	4	0	34
PIKE	421	386	36	54	144	90	56	0	6
POTTER	300	301	52	12	147	74	5	3	8
SCHUYLKILL	2,564	2,092	287	209	1,022	437	15	13	109
SNYDER	459	390	40	7	237	65	29	0	12
SOMERSET	1,091	1,009	143	90	305	389	7	18	57
SULLIVAN	67	69	6	5	30	24	0	0	4
SUSQUEHANNA	379	340	22	49	86	106	71	0	6
TIOGA	766	777	142	54	414	92	32	36	7
UNION	331	294	50	6	152	59	19	0	8
VENANGO	874	865	80	38	349	182	182	26	8
WARREN	662	623	46	5	311	118	60	6	77
WASHINGTON	3,228	3,012	332	581	796	1,022	25	34	222
WAYNE	604	623	154	51	209	75	38	82	14
WESTMORELAND	6,011	5,844	431	928	2,376	1,218	69	51	771
WYOMING	469	483	111	41	149	164	3	5	10
YORK	4,875	4,765	225	243	2,391	1,456	100	138	212
STATE TOTALS	163,548	152,699	18,556	16,630	56,482	39,718	8,060	4,900	8,353

AGE OF PENDING DJ CRIMINAL CASES

COUNTY	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	0-30 DAYS	31-60 DAYS	61-90 DAYS	91-120 DAYS	121-150 DAYS	151-180 DAYS	OVER 180 DAYS
ADAMS	205	66	55	20	11	14	7	32
ALLEGHENY	3,272	857	512	259	173	170	148	1,153
ARMSTRONG	131	40	10	14	14	6	1	46
BEAVER	398	200	46	41	19	24	23	45
BEDFORD	91	30	11	4	3	2	0	41
BERKS	633	347	168	63	23	14	4	14
BLAIR	268	124	45	53	28	10	2	6
BRADFORD	133	37	28	12	7	6	4	39
BUCKS	1,593	626	413	210	120	70	32	122
BUTLER	702	111	185	63	46	54	41	202
CAMBRIA	251	107	57	38	25	9	4	11
CAMERON	13	6	0	0	0	0	0	7
CARBON	77	40	20	9	5	0	1	2
CENTRE	218	164	10	15	13	6	7	3
CHESTER	1,528	444	315	232	112	0	0	425
CLARION	70	33	20	3	3	4	2	5
CLEARFIELD	79	60	15	3	1	0	0	0
CLINTON	66	33	15	5	4	3	3	3
COLUMBIA	101	54	33	6	3	4	1	0
CRAWFORD	223	80	36	28	15	6	5	51
CUMBERLAND	692	140	151	123	58	22	15	183
DAUPHIN	1,512	412	271	187	92	100	75	375
DELAWARE	2,971	1,253	411	220	179	0	0	908
ELK	48	11	10	6	1	0	1	19
ERIE	799	180	162	130	82	53	23	169
FAYETTE	159	22	36	21	28	14	21	17
FOREST	21	5	6	1	0	1	0	8
FRANKLIN	389	108	88	64	27	27	9	66
FULTON	17	5	3	2	3	0	0	4
GREENE	98	34	14	15	16	11	3	5
HUNTINGDON	117	11	12	4	9	11	3	67
INDIANA	115	52	32	10	10	1	2	8
JEFFERSON	53	25	12	3	3	3	2	5

AGE OF PENDING DJ CRIMINAL CASES

COUNTY	CASES PENDING 12/31/90	0-30 DAYS	31-60 DAYS	61-90 DAYS	91-120 DAYS	121-150 DAYS	151-180 DAYS	OVER 180 DAYS
JUNIATA	45	12	16	1	2	1	0	13
LACKAWANNA	163	61	33	18	12	12	11	16
LANCASTER	1,674	402	390	306	196	157	61	162
LAWRENCE	322	125	73	48	18	14	3	41
LEBANON	180	39	58	35	16	5	2	25
LEHIGH	1,119	530	215	95	52	47	31	149
LUZERNE	825	272	74	60	49	40	25	305
LYCOMING	262	110	67	30	22	10	17	6
MCKEAN	216	79	22	19	1	4	5	86
MERCER	181	112	49	12	6	1	0	1
MIFFLIN	97	44	27	17	3	3	2	1
MONROE	138	27	22	23	21	16	15	14
MONTGOMERY	1,107	587	266	58	27	6	28	135
MONTOUR	17	11	2	1	1	0	0	2
NORTHAMPTON	597	266	140	72	26	9	17	67
NORTHUMBERLAND	113	67	26	5	1	2	8	4
PERRY	33	20	3	2	0	0	1	7
PIKE	79	26	9	8	6	11	4	15
POTTER	36	18	5	5	4	0	1	3
SCHUYLKILL	418	144	74	25	19	14	12	130
SNYDER	81	12	12	9	9	6	0	33
SOMERSET	136	37	46	22	8	9	4	10
SULLIVAN	4	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
SUSQUEHANNA	31	3	5	3	1	1	3	15
TIOGA	91	56	14	9	4	5	1	2
UNION	53	12	3	4	6	28	0	0
VENANGO	82	41	21	6	1	2	2	9
WARREN	62	18	10	7	3	6	3	15
WASHINGTON	723	238	147	79	29	26	28	176
WAYNE	96	31	41	11	13	0	0	0
WESTMORELAND	935	325	221	133	68	45	34	109
WYOMING	72	25	7	8	5	4	4	19
YORK	430	175	104	39	14	17	12	69
STATE TOTALS	27,461	9,643	5,407	3,035	1,777	1,146	773	5,680

DISTRICT JUSTICE --- TRAFFIC CITATIONS

COUNTY	TOTAL FILED	TOTAL DISPOSED	DISPOSED BY: TRIAL	GUILTY PLEA	PROSECUTION WITHDRAWN	OTHER
ADAMS	8,878	8,481	524	7,357	453	147
ALLEGHENY	127,096	117,300	34,289	72,988	3,253	6,770
ARMSTRONG	4,498	4,828	919	3,729	95	85
BEAVER	19,699	18,783	3,563	12,810	1,066	1,344
BEDFORD	17,024	17,113	842	13,651	1,107	1,513
BERKS	46,896	41,697	2,824	31,821	1,503	5,549
BLAIR	11,156	11,012	902	9,504	204	402
BRADFORD	4,562	4,435	332	3,748	102	253
BUCKS	80,245	69,886	10,299	49,398	3,327	6,862
BUTLER	17,514	15,623	2,437	12,494	377	315
CAMBRIA	10,242	9,801	1,356	7,692	323	430
CAMERON	1,047	1,099	138	948	12	1
CARBON	9,278	9,237	1,030	7,693	131	383
CENTRE	25,558	24,684	1,858	21,627	1,182	17
CHESTER	76,709	72,058	7,583	52,482	1,351	10,642
CLARION	7,101	6,349	432	5,813	95	9
CLEARFIELD	9,770	8,781	456	8,032	81	212
CLINTON	7,489	7,661	408	6,544	194	515
COLUMBIA	9,592	10,301	1,016	8,344	301	640
CRAWFORD	10,947	10,841	790	8,796	512	743
CUMBERLAND	35,798	33,575	2,196	30,003	478	898
DAUPHIN	53,739	42,766	3,922	36,351	1,165	1,328
DELAWARE	112,596	87,047	19,612	52,608	2,291	12,536
ELK	3,580	3,619	174	3,295	149	1
ERIE	57,600	45,105	3,844	35,831	558	4,872
FAYETTE (I)	9,254	8,944	1,767	6,582	123	472
FOREST	1,649	1,696	82	1,588	22	4
FRANKLIN	13,533	12,075	630	10,876	320	249
FULTON	6,235	6,254	374	5,199	208	473
GREENE	3,449	3,287	247	2,882	5	153
HUNTINGDON	4,227	4,078	335	3,649	48	46
INDIANA	8,379	8,520	865	6,802	393	460
JEFFERSON	6,778	6,694	363	5,753	76	502

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DISTRICT JUSTICE --- TRAFFIC CITATIONS

COUNTY	TOTAL FILED	TOTAL DISPOSED	DISPOSED BY: TRIAL	GUILTY PLEA	PROSECUTION WITHDRAWN	OTHER
JUNIATA	3,388	3,369	270	3,061	33	5
LACKAWANNA	28,063	22,677	3,070	16,458	1,082	2,067
LANCASTER	59,220	58,331	3,584	40,999	1,328	12,420
LAWRENCE	11,649	11,506	1,287	8,544	367	1,308
LEBANON	14,888	11,406	755	10,319	70	262
LEHIGH	57,722	43,705	2,502	31,537	7,349	2,317
LUZERNE	39,624	36,484	6,111	26,195	922	3,256
LYCOMING	11,188	11,294	1,033	9,770	185	306
MCKEAN	4,162	4,077	200	3,712	136	29
MERCER	14,851	13,806	971	11,035	1,372	428
MIFFLIN	3,156	3,141	310	2,655	111	65
MONROE	21,030	18,836	1,631	16,168	603	434
MONTGOMERY	163,384	146,124	23,624	104,929	5,637	11,934
MONTOUR	3,448	3,430	153	2,947	157	173
NORTHAMPTON	41,535	38,841	3,770	26,400	3,092	5,579
NORTHUMBERLAND	9,594	9,338	688	8,255	215	180
PERRY	1,828	1,867	201	1,598	62	6
PIKE	8,573	8,294	577	7,372	42	303
POTTER	1,359	1,370	121	1,181	50	18
SCHUYLKILL	15,625	14,233	1,360	12,108	393	372
SNYDER	3,559	3,310	150	3,051	49	60
SOMERSET	16,073	14,926	1,674	12,458	649	145
SULLIVAN	602	536	20	491	8	17
SUSQUEHANNA	5,762	5,770	412	5,029	324	5
TIOGA	5,103	4,975	322	4,513	67	73
UNION	4,957	4,566	255	4,173	19	119
VENANGO	7,562	7,390	537	5,984	549	320
WARREN	2,104	1,976	82	1,758	89	47
WASHINGTON	32,293	31,141	6,544	19,072	3,119	2,406
WAYNE	2,425	2,068	213	1,674	111	70
WESTMORELAND	46,745	47,419	7,628	33,655	1,370	4,766
WYOMING	3,036	2,947	308	2,382	184	73
YORK	48,335	44,511	3,688	37,212	996	2,615
STATE TOTALS	1,514,961	1,367,294	180,460	1,023,585	52,245	111,004

DISTRICT JUSTICE --- SUMMARY COMPLAINTS & NON-TRAFFIC CITATIONS

COUNTY	TOTAL FILED	TOTAL DISPOSED	DISPOSED BY: TRIAL	GUILTY PLEA	PROSECUTION WITHDRAWN	OTHER
ADAMS	4,411	4,092	389	3,241	316	146
ALLEGHENY	45,892	43,066	12,209	17,051	4,440	9,366
ARMSTRONG	2,317	1,980	310	1,509	83	78
BEAVER	7,286	5,233	1,063	3,099	549	522
BEDFORD	1,767	1,687	223	1,308	125	31
BERKS	14,645	11,754	2,069	7,424	1,322	939
BLAIR	5,341	4,553	620	3,356	290	287
BRADFORD	2,195	1,896	267	1,217	271	141
BUCKS	17,983	16,062	3,887	8,771	1,710	1,694
BUTLER	6,643	5,731	985	4,247	295	204
CAMBRIA	5,954	5,239	779	3,831	355	274
CAMERON	219	175	37	115	10	13
CARBON	2,982	2,572	695	1,638	204	35
CENTRE	11,165	9,149	993	7,026	1,097	33
CHESTER	17,657	14,014	2,826	8,840	1,170	1,178
CLARION	3,003	2,742	300	2,279	58	105
CLEARFIELD	3,623	2,919	211	2,558	73	77
CLINTON	1,991	1,792	265	1,347	177	3
COLUMBIA	3,309	3,208	528	2,488	142	50
CRAWFORD	4,065	4,087	427	3,015	343	302
CUMBERLAND	9,724	7,335	560	6,521	187	67
DAUPHIN	20,231	23,013	3,321	12,075	6,378	1,239
DELAWARE	22,172	17,579	7,301	8,460	1,138	680
ELK	965	964	118	782	64	0
ERIE	11,396	9,098	1,568	6,331	732	467
FAYETTE (I)	6,475	5,211	1,136	3,160	368	547
FOREST	230	221	26	172	9	14
FRANKLIN	5,853	4,371	370	3,415	293	293
FULTON	632	579	92	403	34	50
GREENE	1,431	1,148	119	913	53	63
HUNTINGDON	1,421	1,320	195	1,042	65	18
INDIANA	3,494	3,198	584	2,156	224	234
JEFFERSON	1,795	1,667	213	1,253	60	141

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DISTRICT JUSTICE --- SUMMARY COMPLAINTS & NON-TRAFFIC CITATIONS

COUNTY	TOTAL FILED	TOTAL DISPOSED	DISPOSED BY: TRIAL	GUILTY PLEA	PROSECUTION WITHDRAWN	OTHER
JUNIATA	647	573	64	482	27	0
LACKAWANNA	8,760	7,070	2,055	3,620	621	774
LANCASTER	20,346	17,238	1,306	10,739	725	4,468
LAWRENCE	2,465	2,206	399	1,285	221	301
LEBANON	4,848	3,468	475	2,864	96	33
LEHIGH	12,999	8,998	1,456	5,651	564	1,327
LUZERNE	15,492	12,156	3,906	6,974	582	694
LYCOMING	5,124	4,953	822	3,413	465	253
MCKEAN	1,876	1,913	158	1,615	100	40
MERCER	5,469	4,817	442	3,600	527	248
MIFFLIN	2,291	1,976	297	1,432	48	199
MONROE	6,158	4,701	890	3,224	267	320
MONTGOMERY	28,771	24,151	5,402	15,951	1,390	1,408
MONTOUR	480	376	39	293	39	5
NORTHAMPTON	11,633	10,056	2,198	6,009	736	1,113
NORTHUMBERLAND	3,318	2,998	409	2,214	139	236
PERRY	2,078	1,914	148	1,348	402	16
PIKE	1,161	1,101	294	632	90	85
POTTER	597	545	89	390	55	11
SCHUYLKILL	5,709	4,577	823	3,247	179	328
SNYDER	1,334	1,151	78	993	43	37
SOMERSET	3,322	2,979	662	2,000	233	84
SULLIVAN	173	157	17	131	9	0
SUSQUEHANNA	750	646	131	452	59	4
TIOGA	1,907	1,817	167	1,282	152	216
UNION	1,225	1,007	90	823	56	38
VENANGO	2,545	2,444	280	1,715	199	250
WARREN	1,080	897	95	729	51	22
WASHINGTON	9,896	8,541	2,575	4,289	831	846
WAYNE	1,317	1,201	202	777	107	115
WESTMORELAND	14,660	16,709	3,255	8,839	1,266	3,349
WYOMING	1,224	1,135	146	877	56	56
YORK	19,649	17,756	2,741	12,146	592	2,277
STATE TOTALS	447,571	389,882	76,797	241,079	33,562	38,444

DISTRICT JUSTICE --- CIVIL COMPLAINTS

COUNTY	TOTAL FILED	TOTAL DISPOSED	DISPOSED BY: TRIAL	SETTLED	DEFAULT JUDGEMENT	COMPLAINT WITHDRAWN	OTHER
ADAMS	1,476	1,397	245	343	771	16	22
ALLEGHENY	31,211	31,335	11,000	3,170	14,015	831	2,319
ARMSTRONG	904	1,042	419	158	440	9	16
BEAVER	2,649	2,321	877	287	1,079	39	39
BEDFORD	736	800	109	219	450	17	5
BERKS	6,707	6,180	1,886	916	2,987	135	256
BLAIR	2,861	2,531	541	339	1,511	53	87
BRADFORD	2,193	2,028	287	363	1,202	107	69
BUCKS	16,681	15,884	5,210	3,252	6,376	315	731
BUTLER	2,810	2,937	701	659	1,306	157	114
CAMBRIA	2,657	2,550	646	476	1,272	27	129
CAMERON	173	144	35	40	64	5	0
CARBON	1,800	1,748	284	316	1,068	31	49
CENTRE	2,729	2,686	535	178	1,264	360	349
CHESTER	9,352	9,037	3,095	1,536	3,909	195	302
CLARION	869	919	137	142	591	17	32
CLEARFIELD	1,931	1,792	251	360	1,157	18	6
CLINTON	748	676	174	57	387	46	12
COLUMBIA	2,683	2,321	494	491	1,275	27	34
CRAWFORD	2,720	2,507	458	435	1,478	41	95
CUMBERLAND	3,894	3,563	835	590	1,996	105	37
DAUPHIN	9,742	10,250	3,407	1,235	4,782	322	504
DELAWARE	11,033	10,393	3,580	1,625	4,823	197	168
ELK	568	571	83	132	337	10	9
ERIE	6,172	5,580	2,102	871	2,315	134	158
FAYETTE (I)	1,991	1,996	675	228	899	47	147
FOREST	106	105	18	49	34	2	2
FRANKLIN	2,758	2,663	488	659	1,437	27	52
FULTON	358	353	43	160	145	2	3
GREENE	537	478	94	84	265	8	27
HUNTINGDON	690	637	126	120	388	3	0
INDIANA	1,402	1,350	223	137	737	42	211
JEFFERSON	795	863	204	92	390	25	152

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DISTRICT JUSTICE --- CIVIL COMPLAINTS

COUNTY	TOTAL FILED	TOTAL DISPOSED	DISPOSED BY: TRIAL	SETTLED	DEFAULT JUDGEMENT	COMPLAINT WITHDRAWN	OTHER
JUNIATA	603	702	62	225	382	14	19
LACKAWANNA	6,059	5,678	2,017	754	2,532	188	187
LANCASTER	9,530	9,842	3,107	2,079	4,086	250	320
LAWRENCE	1,779	1,816	582	190	808	20	216
LEBANON	2,814	2,769	800	361	1,458	57	93
LEHIGH	10,608	9,556	1,764	1,657	5,749	199	187
LUZERNE	8,557	7,866	2,141	1,187	3,834	65	639
LYCOMING	4,291	4,141	683	846	2,389	75	148
MCKEAN	851	833	207	146	449	9	22
MERCER	2,668	2,284	511	348	1,290	86	49
MIFFLIN	775	704	248	157	262	12	25
MONROE	5,937	5,241	938	776	2,839	290	398
MONTGOMERY	18,724	17,436	4,721	3,376	8,490	366	483
MONTOUR	317	281	30	36	200	13	2
NORTHAMPTON	5,849	5,365	1,741	894	2,270	94	366
NORTHUMBERLAND	2,495	2,298	594	431	1,234	29	10
PERRY	1,181	1,173	220	216	694	22	21
PIKE	3,493	3,355	425	484	1,841	66	539
POTTER	408	418	76	114	207	18	3
SCHUYLKILL	3,177	2,865	723	459	1,536	28	119
SNYDER	1,232	1,172	83	259	744	59	27
SOMERSET	1,413	1,242	257	181	757	27	20
SULLIVAN	95	80	10	14	46	4	6
SUSQUEHANNA	818	723	212	149	346	14	2
TIOGA	1,167	1,073	154	192	623	72	32
UNION	811	812	89	173	483	11	56
VENANGO	814	843	166	150	416	21	90
WARREN	1,009	869	119	201	503	37	9
WASHINGTON	3,106	2,999	1,221	422	1,214	40	102
WAYNE	2,699	2,049	217	476	1,291	26	39
WESTMORELAND	6,043	6,374	2,231	800	2,651	166	526
WYOMING	1,216	1,183	151	247	690	12	83
YORK	8,663	8,044	2,262	1,274	3,931	155	322
STATE TOTALS	253,139	241,723	68,024	39,093	117,395	5,915	11,296

PHILADELPHIA MUNICIPAL COURT

	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990
MISDEMEANOR/FELONY:					
Filed	40,030	39,973	41,577	41,510	42,246
Disposed	39,746	42,052	42,474	42,028	41,741
Year-End Pending	9,745	7,666	6,769	6,251	6,756
Cases Disposed by:					
Nol Pros/Withdrawn Dismissed (Trials)	4,544	6,761	5,911	6,956	5,773
Nol Pros/Withdrawn Dismissed (Prelim. Hrg.)	4,904	5,986	5,970	6,465	7,242
Held for Court	12,650	14,413	16,929	17,105	17,432
A.R.D.	7,210	6,933	6,945	4,439	4,018
Guilty Pleas	3,404	2,369	1,963	2,443	1,466
Trials	4,197	5,215	4,397	4,266	5,480
Inactive	2,499	-----	-----	-----	-----
Other	338	375	359	354	330
SUMMARY AND PRIVATE CRIMINAL COMPLAINTS:					
Filed	26,560	26,559	27,211	28,265	29,287
Disposed	26,135	26,669	26,432	27,888	28,751
Pending	2,575	2,465	3,809	4,186	4,167
CIVIL COMPLAINTS:					
Filed	97,494	105,251	112,521	122,823	125,561
Disposed	98,524	103,165	112,919	121,653	124,333
Pending	13,898	15,984	22,001	23,171	17,982

AGE OF PENDING MISDEMEANOR/FELONY CASES: 12/31/90

Awaiting Hearing		Awaiting Trial	
0 - 30 Days	929	0 - 60 Days	1,934
31 - 60 Days	549	61 - 120 Days	1,030
61 - 90 Days	323	120 - 180 Days	407
91 - 120 Days	195	181 - 240 Days	183
Over 120 Days	512	Over 240 Days	693
SUBTOTAL	2,508	SUBTOTAL	4,248

PHILADELPHIA TRAFFIC COURT

FILINGS (Moving Violations)	265,854
DISPOSITIONS:	
Trial	92,818
Guilty Plea	80,830
Prosecution Withdrawn	5,437
Other	N/A

PITTSBURGH MAGISTRATES COURT

CITY COURT:	
Misdemeanor/Felony Complaints Filed	12,728
Summary Cases Filed	14,356
HOUSING COURT:	
Summary Cases Filed	5,729
TRAFFIC COURT:	
Misdemeanor Cases Filed (DUI)	1,752
Citations Filed (Moving Violations)	34,838
Citations Filed (Parking Violations)	310,329
TOTAL FILINGS	379,732

JUDICIAL DISTRICT 1990 POPULATION, TRIAL COURT AND DISTRICT JUSTICE COMPLEMENTS

Judicial District	1990 Population (a)	Authorized Trial Court Judgeships (b)	Authorized District Justice Positions (b)
ADAMS	78,274	2	4
ALLEGHENY	1,336,449	41	55 (d)
ARMSTRONG	73,478	2	4
BEAVER	186,093	5	9
BEDFORD	47,919	1	4
BERKS	336,523	8	18
BLAIR	130,542	4	7
BRADFORD	60,967	2	4
BUCKS	541,174	10	17
BUTLER	152,013	3	5
CAMBRIA	163,029	5	10
CAMERON-ELK	40,791	1	3
CARBON	56,846	1	4
CENTRE	123,786	2	4
CHESTER	376,396	8	13
CLARION	41,699	1	4
CLEARFIELD	78,097	2	4
CLINTON	37,182	1	3
COLUMBIA-MONTOUR	80,937	2	5
CRAWFORD	86,169	2	6
CUMBERLAND	195,257	4	8
DAUPHIN	237,813	6	12
DELAWARE	547,651	16	30
ERIE	275,572	8	15
FAYETTE	145,351	5	13
FOREST-WARREN	49,852	1	7
FRANKLIN-FULTON	134,919	3	9
GREENE	39,550	1	3
HUNTINGDON	44,164	1	4
INDIANA	89,994	2	4
JEFFERSON	46,083	1	3
JUNIATA-PERRY	61,797	1	5
LACKAWANNA	219,039	6	12
LANCASTER	422,822	7	20
LAWRENCE	96,246	3	5
LEBANON	113,744	3	7
LEHIGH	291,130	7	14
LUZERNE	328,149	7	18
LYCOMING	118,710	3	6
MCKEAN	47,131	1	4
MERCER	121,003	3	5
MIFFLIN	46,197	1	2
MONROE	95,709	3	8
MONTGOMERY	678,111	16	29
NORTHAMPTON	247,105	6	15
NORTHUMBERLAND	96,771	2	4
PHILADELPHIA	1,585,577	85	0 (c)
PIKE	27,966	1	3
POTTER	16,717	1	4
SCHUYLKILL	152,585	5	7
SNYDER-UNION	72,856	2	4
SOMERSET	78,218	2	5
SULLIVAN-WYOMING	34,180	1	5
SUSQUEHANNA	40,380	1	3
TIOGA	41,126	1	3
VENANGO	59,381	1	4
WASHINGTON	204,584	5	14
WAYNE	39,944	1	4
WESTMORELAND	370,321	9	21
YORK	339,574	7	16
TOTAL	11,881,643	342	538

(a) Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 population counts.
(b) Authorized Trial Court judgeships and District Justice positions as of December 1990.
(c) Philadelphia County does not have District Justices. The Special Courts are Municipal Court with 22 judgeships and Traffic Court with 6 judgeships.
(d) In addition to 55 District Justices, the City of Pittsburgh has 6 Magistrates.

GLOSSARY

EST., ESTIMATE — An estimate utilized when an accurate physical count is unavailable. Estimates are based upon available documentation and/or statistical relationships.

R, REVISED — Indicates that the number of cases reported pending as of 1/1/90 has been revised from the number reported pending as of 12/31/89, published in the *1989 CASELOAD STATISTICS OF THE UNIFIED JUDICIAL SYSTEM OF PENNSYLVANIA.*

I, INCOMPLETE DATA — Indicates that reported data refer to less than a full-year's court activity.

COMMON PLEAS CRIMINAL

AGE OF PENDING CASES — A breakdown of active criminal caseload by the interval of time elapsed from the date the case is filed in the clerk of court's office to the end of the year (12/31/90). Note that age as defined here does not include lower court time elapsed from complaint or arrest until filing at the common pleas level.

ARD (Accelerated Rehabilitative Disposition) — A disposition classification for cases in which the defendant is accepted into a state or county ARD program, which is a pre-trial diversionary program similar to probation. Upon successful completion of all conditions of the program, the defendant may petition the court to dismiss the charges against him.

CASE (Common Pleas Criminal) — A **MISDEMEANOR** or **FELONY** case held for or waived to common pleas court after a **PRELIMINARY HEARING**, waiver of a preliminary hearing or a transfer from juvenile court. The unit of count is the individually numbered docket transcript (OTN). Cases are counted as *NEW CASES RECEIVED* at the date of filing in the clerk of court's office. *CASES REOPENED* refers to the number of cases previously counted as disposed which have been reactivated at the common pleas level, such as those involving fugitives returned. *CASES PENDING* refers to the number of active cases at the common pleas level which have not been adjudicated. *CASES DISPOSED* refers to the number of terminations of cases pending at the common pleas level; counted when the judge accepts a guilty plea, renders a verdict, the jury returns a verdict, or the case is otherwise adjudicated, transferred out of common pleas criminal court, or placed in inactive status. A common pleas disposition is counted at the time of adjudication and not at the time of sentencing. *CASES AWAITING SENTENCE* refers to those cases in which a guilty verdict has been rendered or guilty plea accepted, but for which the penalty has not yet been imposed upon the accused.

DISMISSALS, NOL PROS, ETC. — A disposition classification for cases in which:
1) (DISMISSAL) the jurisdiction of the court is terminated by the court, or
2) (NOL PROS, NOLLE PROSEQUI) a formal notice upon the record that the prosecution will not proceed with the case has been accepted by the court, or
3) a demurrer is sustained, the case is quashed, etc.

FELONY — A statutory class of crime generally more serious than a misdemeanor. For reporting purposes, murder of the first degree is counted with felonies.

GUILTY PLEA — A disposition classification for cases in which the defendant admits having committed an offense for which he is charged, or admits to a lesser felony, misdemeanor or summary offense.

INACTIVE CASE — A disposition classification for cases in which the defendant has been unavailable for court processing for a minimum of 45 days; including defendants declared fugitive, those in the military, those in the custody of another jurisdiction, etc.

JURY TRIAL — A disposition classification for cases adjudicated following verdict of a jury.

MISDEMEANOR — A statutory class of crime generally more serious than a summary offense and less serious than a **FELONY**. The maximum term of imprisonment for a misdemeanor may not exceed five years. For a summary offense, the maximum term of imprisonment may not exceed 90 days.

NEW CASES RECEIVED — See **CASE**.

NON-JURY TRIAL — A disposition classification for cases adjudicated by verdict of a judge.

OTHER DISPOSED — A disposition classification for cases terminated by means that cannot accurately be classified in the other dispositional categories; including transfers to juvenile court, cases abated by death of defendant, etc.

PRELIMINARY HEARING — Hearing by a judicial officer to determine whether a person charged with a crime should be held for trial in common pleas court.

RULE 1100 — A disposition classification for cases dismissed under Pennsylvania Rule of Criminal Procedure 1100 (Prompt Trial).

COMMON PLEAS CIVIL

AGE OF PENDING TRIAL-READY CASES — A breakdown of trial-ready caseload by the interval of time elapsed from the date the case is certified or **PRAECIPED** for trial or otherwise determined to be **TRIAL-READY** to year-end (12/31/90).

ARBITRATED CASES — A classification for those **CASES DOCKETED** which are **CIVIL ACTIONS** disposed by a Board of Arbitrators following an evidentiary hearing. Note that these cases are counted at disposition, not at referral to arbitration.

ARBITRATION APPEAL — A classification for those civil cases appealed de novo from an arbitration award; counted when the case is determined to be **TRIAL-READY**.

CASES DOCKETED — The number of **CIVIL ACTIONS** or actions in **EQUITY** which have been filed in the prothonotary's office and which are intended to be litigated. At this initial point, cases are not yet **TRIAL-READY**.

CASES PENDING — The number of civil **TRIAL-READY CASES** which are not yet disposed.

CIVIL ACTION — A category of civil cases in which an action is brought to enforce, redress or protect private rights. It is an action heretofore asserted in assumpsit or trespass (See Rule of Civil Procedure 1001).

DISPOSITION — (1) Of an arbitration case: the decision by a Board of Arbitrators following an evidentiary hearing; (2) Of a **TRIAL-READY CASE**: termination of the case by a verdict reached by a judge or a jury, a settlement reached by the litigants, the striking of the case from the trial-ready list, or other action which resolves the issues of the case.

EQUITY — A category of civil cases in which an action is brought whereby the plaintiff generally seeks equitable relief (e.g., specific performance, injunctions).

JURY TRIAL — A disposition classification for **TRIAL-READY CASES** resolved following verdict of a jury.

NEW CASES FILED — The number of cases in which counsel has indicated to the court during the year that the case is ready to go to trial; or, for those counties which do not certify or praecipe for trial or for pre-trial, the number of cases placed on the trial list during the year.

NON-JURY TRIAL A disposition classification for **TRIAL-READY CASES** resolved following verdict of a judge.

OTHER (CIVIL CASE) A residual category of civil cases which are neither **CIVIL ACTIONS** nor **EQUITY** cases. This classification includes mandamus, replevin, mortgage foreclosure, paternity, etc; but does not include support, custody, visitation, or divorce cases, which are included in the Family Court section.

OTHER (DISPOSITION) A disposition classification for **TRIAL-READY CASES** by transfer to arbitration, transfer to inactive status, or other means that cannot accurately be classified under the other dispositional categories.

PRAECIPE FOR TRIAL A form indicating to the prothonotary that a civil case should be placed on a trial list. See **NEW CASES FILED, TRIAL-READY CASE.**

RESTORED CASES A category of civil cases which have been restored (re-certified or re-praeciped) to a trial list after having been **STRICKEN** from the list.

SETTLEMENTS A disposition classification for **TRIAL-READY CASES** in which the litigants in the dispute come to an agreement over the issues at stake.

STRICKEN A disposition classification for cases removed from the trial-ready list.

TRIAL-READY CASE A **CIVIL ACTION, EQUITY,** or **OTHER** civil case which is certified or praeciped for trial or for pre-trial; or, for those counties which do not certify or praecipe, a **CIVIL ACTION, EQUITY,** or **OTHER** civil case which has been placed on the trial list.

FAMILY COURT

AFDC

A classification of **SUPPORT** cases for those cases in which a wage earner is absent from the home and the children are recipients of public welfare in the category of Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC).

CASES FILED

The number of cases initiated during the year. See **SUPPORT, CUSTODY/PARTIALCUSTODY/VISITATION,DIVORCE,DEPENDENCY,** and **DELINQUENCY** for definition of **CASE FILED** by category.

CASES PROCESSED

The number of cases adjudicated during the year. Cases adjudicated following a conference or hearing before a conference officer, hearing officer, or master are counted as processed by a **NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER.** Cases heard before a judge are counted as processed by a **JUDGE.** Cases processed by **OTHER** means include cases settled or withdrawn before a conference or hearing is held. See **SUPPORT, CUSTODY/PARTIALCUSTODY/VISITATION,DIVORCE,DEPENDENCY,** and **DELINQUENCY** for definition of **CASES PROCESSED** by category.

CUSTODY/PARTIAL CUSTODY/VISITATION

A category of cases which are legal proceedings to determine the right:

1) **(CUSTODY)** to keep, control, guard, care for and preserve a child;
2) **(PARTIAL CUSTODY)** to take possession of a child from the custodial person for a specified length of time;
3) **(VISITATION)** to visit a child, without the right to remove a child from the custodial person's control.

CASES FILED are counted when a complaint or petition to modify an existing order is filed. **CASES PROCESSED** are counted when a final order (or equivalent) has been issued adjudicating the complaint or petition.

DELINQUENCY

A type of juvenile case which involves an act by an individual under the age of 18 which has been designated as a crime under Pennsylvania law or under local ordinances. (See 42 PA C.S.A. § 6302 for a more extensive definition of "delinquency.") **CASES FILED** are counted at referral to a juvenile intake officer. **CASES PROCESSED** are counted when the juvenile intake officer informally adjusts the case, or when a master or judge adjudicates the case after the filing of a petition by the juvenile intake officer.

DEPENDENCY

A type of juvenile case which involves the absence of the proper parental care or supervision necessary for the physical, mental, or emotional or moral health of an individual under 18 years of age. (See 42 PA C.S.A. § 302 for a more extensive definition of "dependency.") **CASES FILED** are counted when a petition is filed. **CASES PROCESSED** are counted when an order adjudicates the petition.

DIVORCE A legal proceeding to dissolve a marriage. **CASES FILED** are counted when a complaint is filed. **CASES PROCESSED** are counted when a decree or order is issued granting or denying the divorce.

JUDGE (disposition) See **CASES PROCESSED.**

NON-AFDC A classification of **SUPPORT** cases which includes those cases not classified under **AFDC.**

NON-JUDICIAL OFFICER See **CASES PROCESSED.**

OTHER (disposition) See **CASES PROCESSED.**

SUPPORT Those cases in which a complaint has been filed requesting the court to require maintenance of a spouse or child by a person required by law to provide such maintenance. **CASES FILED** are counted at the filing of a complaint or petition, and include local and incoming reciprocal cases, petitions for modification or termination, and alimony pendente lite. **CASES PROCESSED** are counted when an order has been issued adjudicating the complaint or petition.

ORPHANS' COURT

ACCOUNT

A statement prepared by a **FIDUCIARY** at the close of his or her administration of an estate to reflect transactions that have occurred. The statement is presented to the court as part of the process whereby the fiduciary seeks discharge from liability for the events disclosed. **CASES FILED** refers to the number of these statements filed with the Orphans' Court Clerk during the year. **CASES DISPOSED** refers to the number of accounts confirmed; i.e., a confirmation is a judicial determination that the account filed is in proper order.

ADOPTION

A legal proceeding in which a child's rights and duties toward his or her birth parents are terminated and similar rights and duties toward his or her adoptive parents are substituted. **CASES FILED** refers to the number of petitions for adoption filed during the year. **CASES DISPOSED** refers to the number of final decrees entered either granting or denying a petition.

AUDITOR, MASTER, OR EXAMINER (CONTESTED)

A category of dispositions referring to the number of cases in which disputed issues of fact were resolved before a quasi-judicial officer (auditor, master, or examiner).

CASES FILED

See specific classifications (**ACCOUNT, ADOPTION, RELINQUISHMENT/ TERMINATION, INCOMPETENCY**).

CASES DISPOSED

See specific classifications (**ACCOUNT, ADOPTION, RELINQUISHMENT/ TERMINATION, INCOMPETENCY**).

FIDUCIARY

A person or institution with a legal responsibility for the money or property of another. The term includes executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees subject to the jurisdiction of the Orphans' Court Division.

INCOMPETENCY

Proceeding through which a determination is made regarding an individual's capacity to make or communicate a responsible decision that concerns his person or property. **CASES FILED** refers to the number of petitions for the appointment of a guardian for a person or estate filed during the year. **CASES DISPOSED** refers to the number of orders issued adjudicating pending petitions. Note: <u>not</u> included are petitions for the appointment of a guardian for the person or estate of a minor; petitions to appoint a guardian ad litem; petitions to adjudicate a person competent who was previously adjudged incompetent; petitions for the sale, exchange, mortgage or lease of real property, and so on.

JUDGE (CONTESTED)

A category of dispositions referring to the number of cases in which disputed issues of fact were resolved in a hearing before a judge. Includes single cases with multiple hearings, at least one of which was held before a judge.

RELINQUISHMENT/ TERMINATION

RELINQUISHMENT is the voluntary ending of the rights of a parent with respect to his or her child. **TERMINATION** is the involuntary ending of the rights of a parent with respect to his or her child. **CASES FILED** refers to the number of petitions filed either to relinquish or to terminate parental rights during the year. **CASES DISPOSED** refers to the number of final decrees entered either granting or denying the petition.

UNCONTESTED

A category of dispositions referring to the number of cases disposed in which there were no evidentiary hearings.

JURY UTILIZATION

AVERAGE JURY FEES PER TRIAL	An overall measure of juror usage calculated by dividing **JUROR FEES INCURRED** by the number of **JURY TRIALS BEGUN**.
JUROR DAYS	The number of prospective jurors reporting to the courthouse in anticipation of voir dire. If a juror reported more than once, each day is counted.
JUROR DAYS PER VOIR DIRE STARTS	The average number of prospective jurors needed for one voir dire, calculated by dividing **JUROR DAYS** by **VOIR DIRES BEGUN**.
JURY FEES INCURRED	Juror fees incurred by the county and the state this year.
JURY TRIALS BEGUN	Number of jury trials begun this year.
NUMBER SENT TO VOIR DIRE	The number of prospective jurors sent to voir dire. If a juror was sent more than once, each voir dire attended is counted.
PERCENT ZERO PANEL DAYS	The percentage of **POOL DAYS** in which prospective jurors reported to the courthouse but no voir dire was begun, calculated by dividing **ZERO PANEL DAYS** by **POOL DAYS** and multiplying by 100.
POOL DAYS	The number of days prospective jurors reported to the courthouse in anticipation of voir dire.
SWORN JURORS	The number of jurors sworn for trial. If a juror was sworn more than once, each swearing-in is counted.
TRIAL ATTENDANCE RATE	The percentage of jurors in voir dire selected to serve on a jury, calculated by dividing **SWORN JURORS** by the **NUMBER SENT TO VOIR DIRE** and multiplying by 100.
VOIR DIRE ATTENDANCE RATE	The percentage of prospective jurors sent to voir dire, calculated by dividing the **NUMBER SENT TO VOIR DIRE** by **JUROR DAYS** and multiplying by 100.
VOIR DIRES BEGUN	The number of voir dires begun this year.
ZERO PANEL DAYS	The number of days prospective jurors reported to the courthouse in which no voir dires were begun.

DISTRICT JUSTICE

AGE OF PENDING CASES A breakdown of pending caseload by the interval of time elapsed from the filing of the docket transcript (OTN) to the end of the year (12/31/90). Included are **FELONIES/MISDEMEANORS/ESCALATING SUMMARIES** that have been initiated at the district justice level but have not yet been either adjudicated or forwarded to common pleas court.

BOUND TO COURT A disposition category for **FELONIES/MISDEMEANORS/ESCALATING SUMMARIES**, referring to the number of cases (OTNs) for which a prima facie case was established and the defendant was held for court.

CIVIL COMPLAINTS A civil action or landlord/tenant action involving a claim of $4,000 or less.

COMPLAINT WITHDRAWN A disposition category for **CIVIL COMPLAINTS**, referring to the number of cases in which a plaintiff withdrew the complaint.

DEFAULT JUDGEMENT A disposition category for **CIVIL COMPLAINTS**, referring to the number of cases in which a judgement was entered for the plaintiff because the defendant did not appear.

DISMISSED A disposition category for **FELONIES/MISDEMEANORS/ESCALATING SUMMARIES**, referring to the number of cases in which the OTN was dismissed or discharged by the district justice.

FELONIES/MISDEMEANORS/ESCALATING SUMMARIES A **FELONY** is a statutory class of crime generally more serious than a **MISDEMEANOR**; murder of the first degree is also counted with felonies. A **MISDEMEANOR** is a statutory class of crime generally more serious than a summary offense and less serious than a felony. The maximum term of imprisonment for a misdemeanor may not exceed five years. For a summary offense, the maximum term of imprisonment may not exceed 90 days. An **ESCALATING SUMMARY** is a retail or library theft charge, for which the grading as a summary or misdemeanor/felony is determined by the defendant's criminal history.

GUILTY PLEA A disposition category for **TRAFFIC CITATIONS, SUMMARY COMPLAINTS AND NON-TRAFFIC CITATIONS**, and **FELONIES/MISDEMEANORS/ESCALATING SUMMARIES**, referring to the number of cases in which the defendant admits having committed an offense for which he is charged. For **TRAFFIC** and **NON-TRAFFIC CITATIONS**, guilty pleas include defendants submitting payment of fines and costs without pleading guilty on the citation forms.

INACTIVE CASES A disposition category for **FELONIES/MISDEMEANORS/ESCALATING SUMMARIES**, referring to the number of cases (OTNs) for which the defendant is declared a fugitive or is otherwise unavailable.

NUMBER DISPOSED	The number of cases in which a district justice renders a decision, a guilty plea is entered, or some other final decision is made. The case is counted as a disposition even though all fines and costs may not have been collected.
NUMBER FILED	The number of cases initiated during the year. **TRAFFIC** and **NON-TRAFFIC** cases are initiated by a citation. **SUMMARY** and **CIVIL** cases are initiated by a complaint. The individually-numbered docket transcript is the unit of count for **FELONIES/MISDEMEANORS/ ESCALATING SUMMARIES.**
OTHER	A disposition category for cases terminated by means that cannot accurately be classified in any of the other dispositional categories; e.g., death of a defendant.
PROSECUTION WITHDRAWN	A disposition category for **TRAFFIC CITATIONS** and **SUMMARY COMPLAINTS AND NON-TRAFFIC CITATIONS**, referring to cases in which the prosecutor formally withdraws the charges.
SETTLED	A disposition category for **CIVIL COMPLAINTS**, referring to cases in which the plaintiff and defendant resolve the issues of the dispute.
SETTLED/ PROS.WITHDRAWN	A disposition category for **FELONIES/MISDEMEANORS/ESCALATING SUMMARIES**, in which either the prosecutor formally withdraws charges or a settlement is reached.
SUMMARY COMPLAINTS/ NON-TRAFFIC CITATIONS	**SUMMARY COMPLAINTS** are summary offense charges filed by a private citizen. **NON-TRAFFIC CITATIONS** are summary offense charges initiated by a police officer, other than those offenses classified under **TRAFFIC CITATIONS.**
TRAFFIC CITATIONS	**TRAFFIC CITATIONS** initiate summary proceedings for offenses under the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code, or for violations of local parking ordinances not covered by the Vehicle Code.
TRIAL	A disposition category for **TRAFFIC CITATIONS, SUMMARY COMPLAINTS AND NON-TRAFFIC CITATIONS,** and **CIVIL COMPLAINTS,** referring to cases adjudicated by a district justice following an evidentary hearing.
WAIVED TO COURT	A disposition category for **FELONIES/MISDEMEANORS/ESCALATING SUMMARIES**, referring to cases (OTNS) forwarded to common pleas court after a preliminary hearing has been waived.